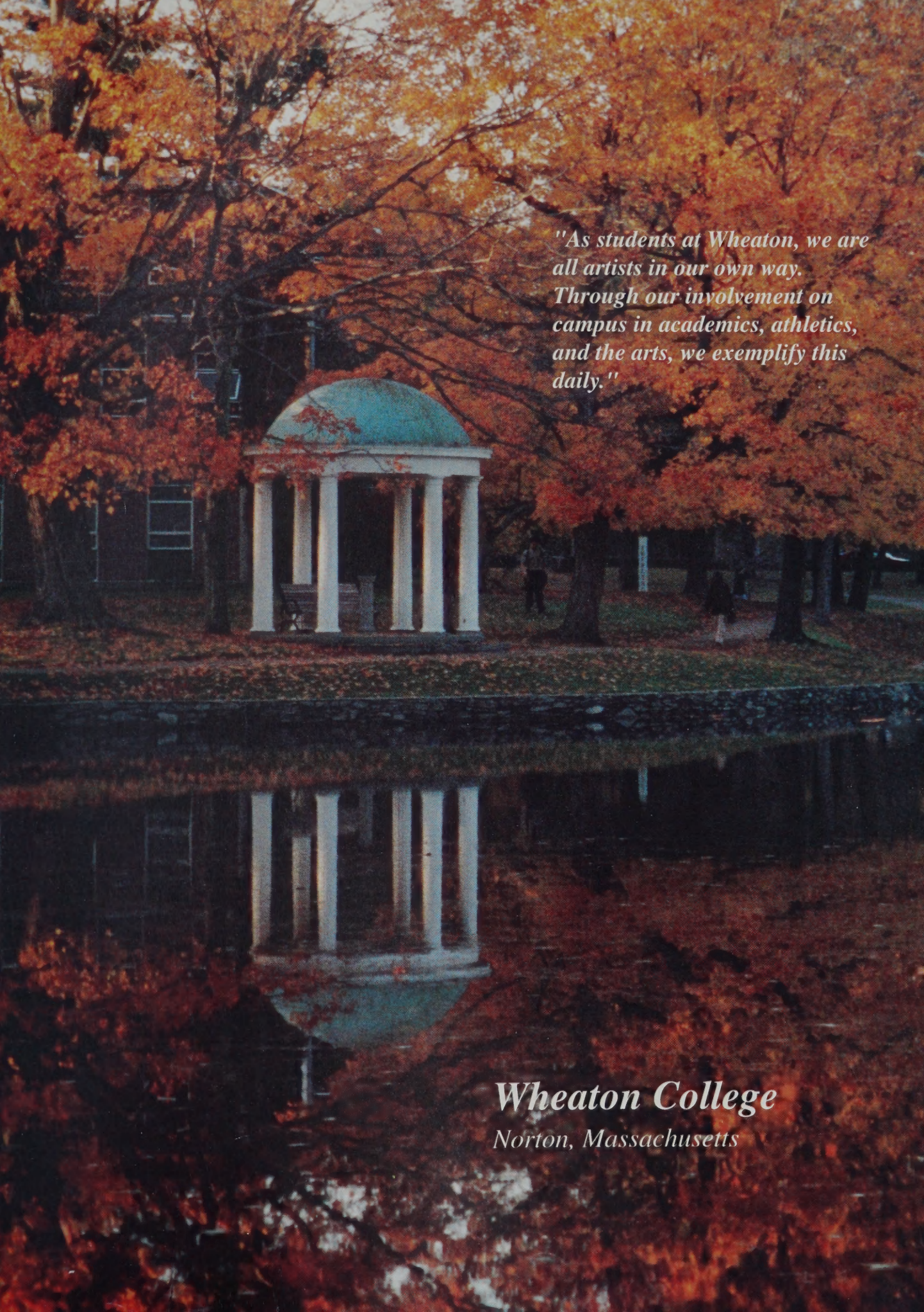




Niké
1997



*"As students at Wheaton, we are
all artists in our own way.
Through our involvement on
campus in academics, athletics,
and the arts, we exemplify this
daily."*

Wheaton College
Norton, Massachusetts



"Moving into the dorm was wonderful...it gave me a new kind of freedom and responsibility. No more parents looking over my shoulder every minute of the day."

Alex Bricker



"Only as a graduating senior have I come to recognize the importance of every aspect at Wheaton. From freshman "firsts" to senior "lasts", every moment of every year is one to be cherished and appreciated."

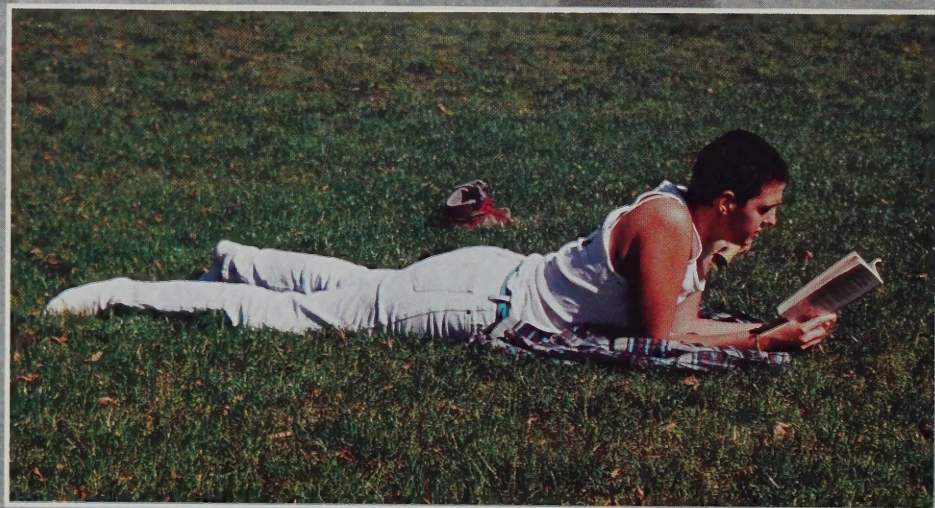
Meredith Bonds





*"The Filene Center
has given me the op-
portunity to find in-
ternships where I
could then apply
what I have learned
through my classes."*

- Sarah Lee Holden











"Getting involved is a great way to meet people. The activities I have been involved in have helped me develop relationships with people that will carry through in my academic life." - Jeniffer Hargoves







*"The programming at Wheaton is diverse and there
is always a lot going on." - Ruben Kim*





"As illustrated on these pages, we are students who realize the many opportunities at Wheaton, and the ways in which they can help us to grow."

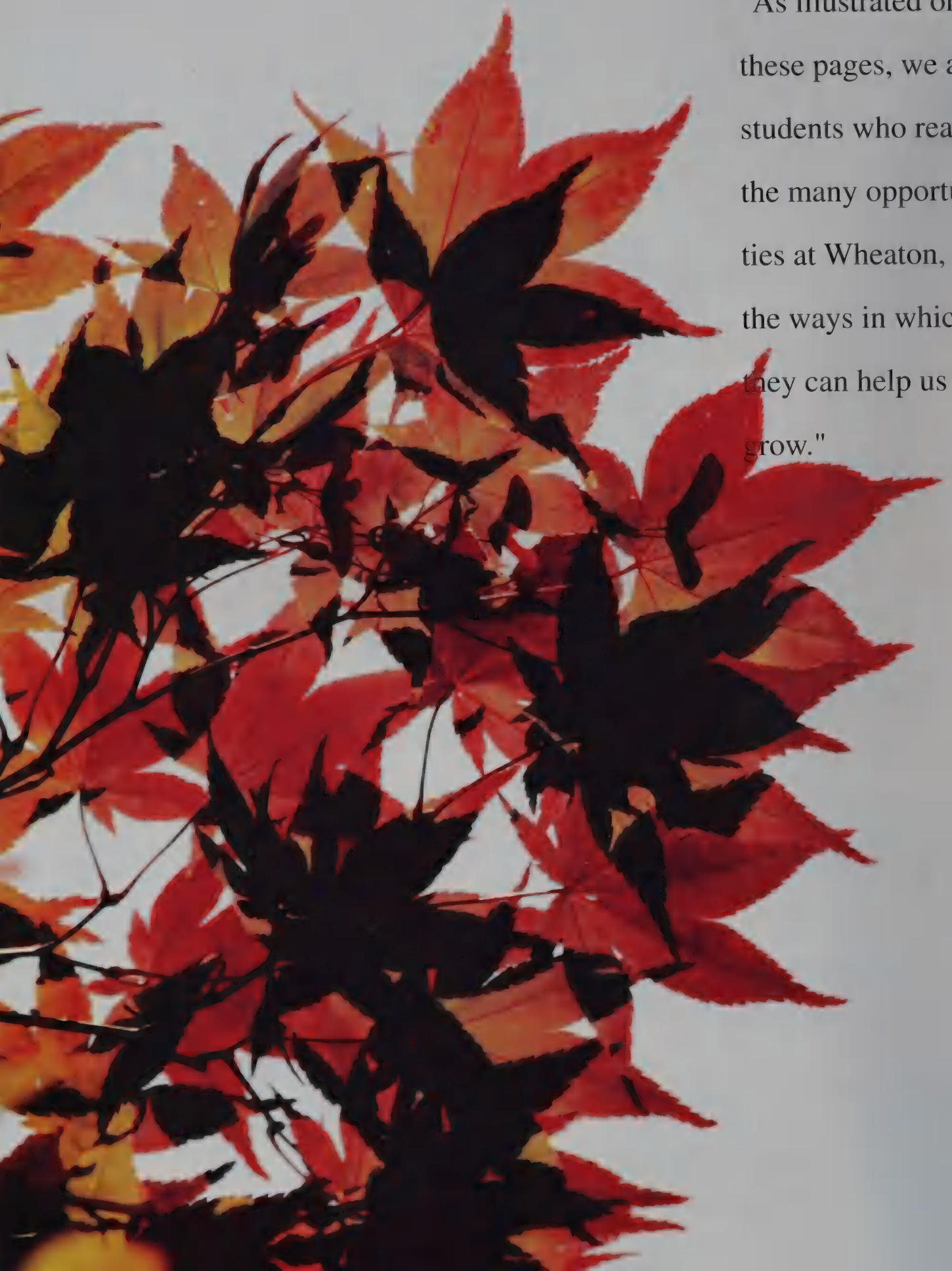




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Presenting Wheaton's largest class ever..



The Class of 2000



Where are they all?



Residential Living



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2nd Floor



3rd Floor

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Meadows West

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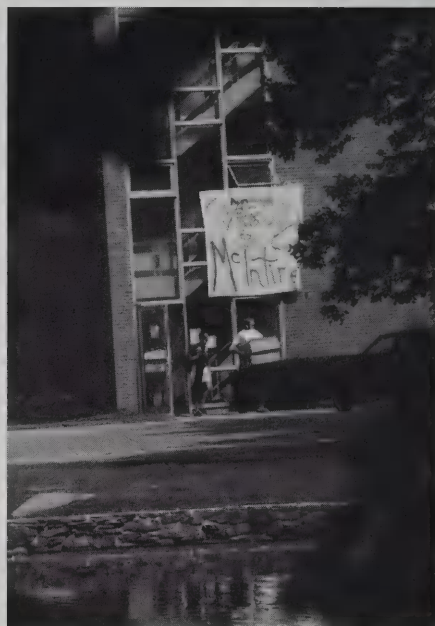


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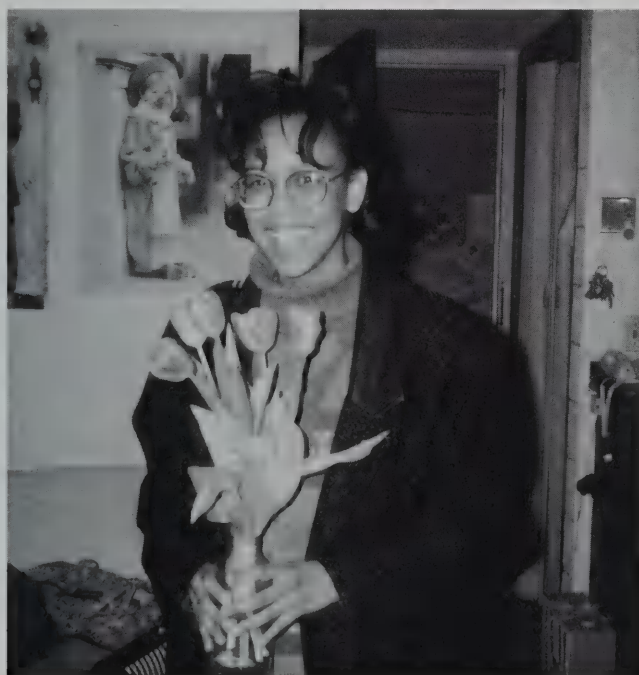
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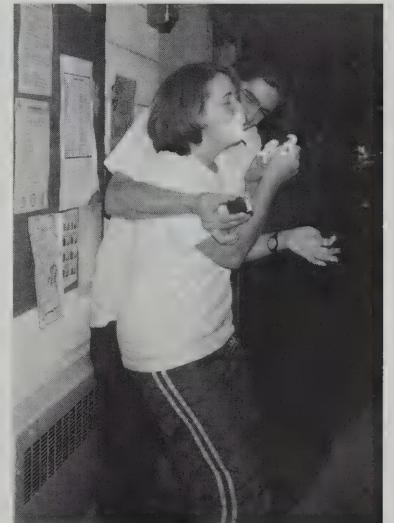


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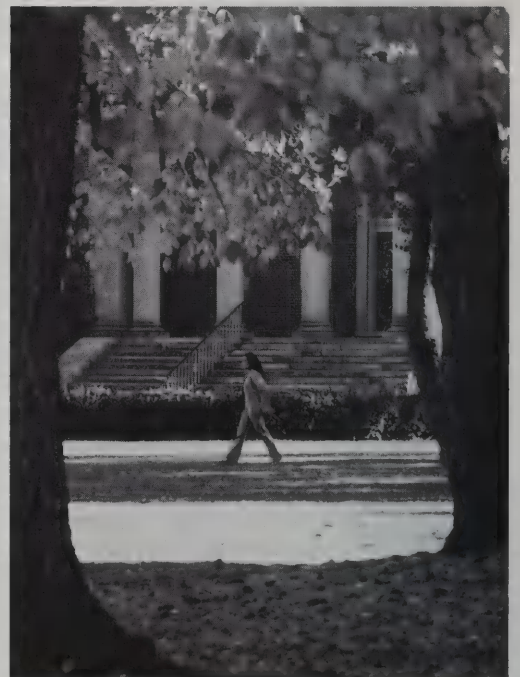
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Emerson

House for Feminist Perspectives





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Everett



2nd Floor



4th Floor - short



4th Floor - long

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3rd Floor



Gebbie



Houses



11 Howard

TOP: Josh Huggard, Zach Pritchett, Nick Langman, Mike Bettencourt, Carrie Bridgewater. BOTTOM: Jen Sekera, Matt Epstein, Jace McLean, Jess Vickerson



26/28 Taunton

TOP: Joanna Whyko, Michelle Owens, Cory Green.
BOTTOM: Sarah Blank, Ruben Kim, Rich Gubitosi



Davis House



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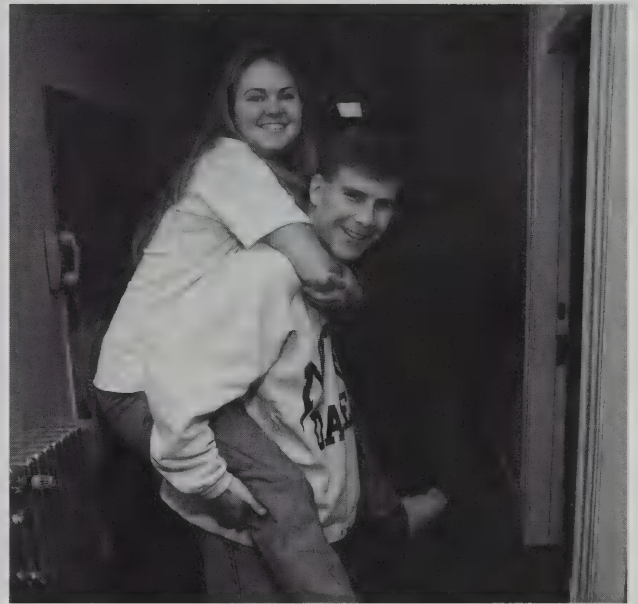


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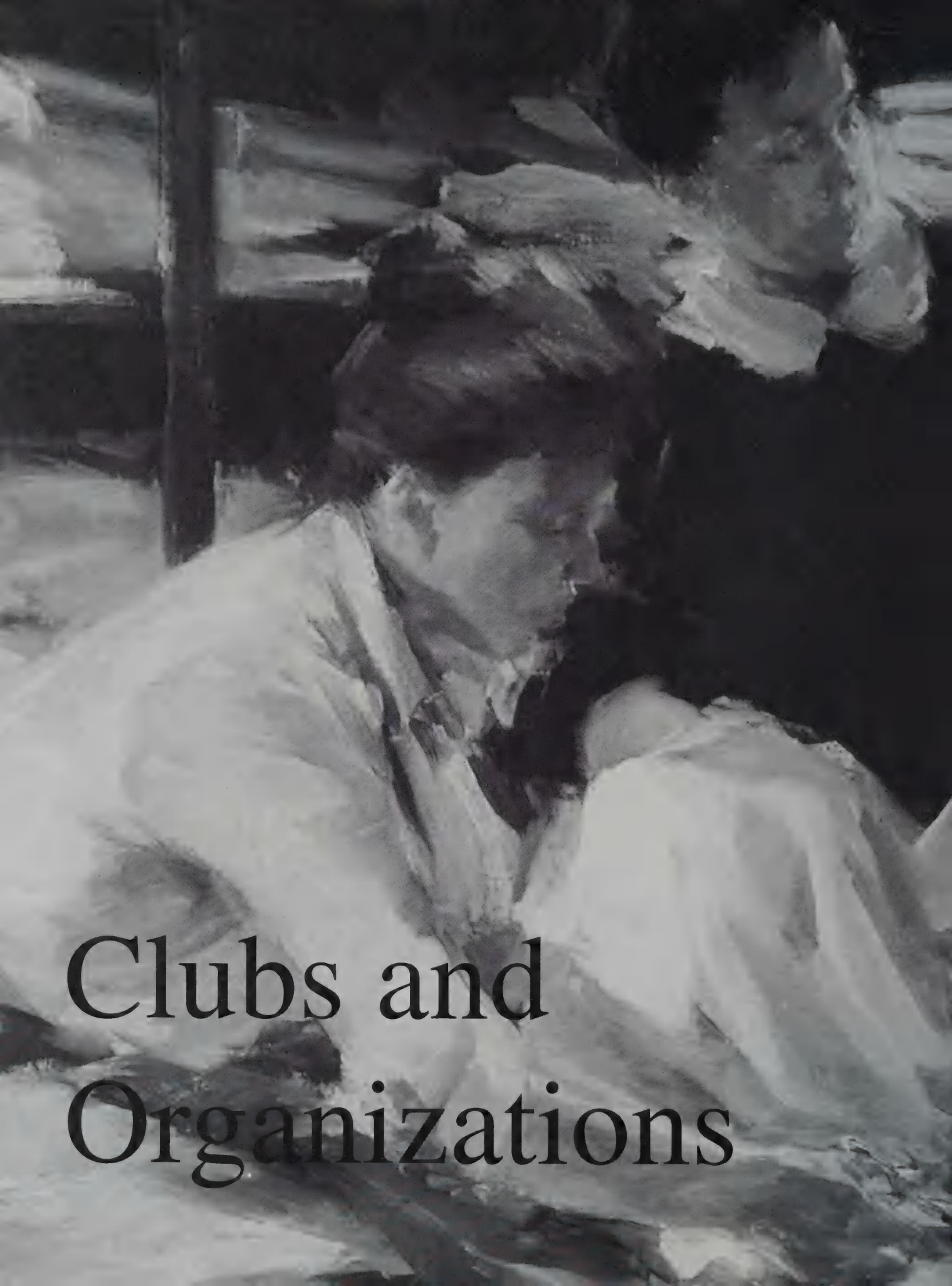


The Class



Of 1999





Clubs and Organizations



Amnesty International

Amnesty International works impartially worldwide for the release of prisoners of conscience (men, women, and children detained or otherwise physically restricted because of their opinions, religious beliefs, ethnic origin, sex, or language). These prisoners have not used violence. Amnesty works for fair and prompt trials for all political prisoners and for an end to torture and execution. Wheaton's chapter focuses on letter writing campaigns, the education of ourselves and the whole campus, bringing in speakers and attending conferences and activist events in Boston and other cities.



Asian Students Association

BACCHUS

BACCHUS, which stands for Boosting Alcohol Consciousness Concerning Health of University Students, is an educational and programming group that stresses responsible drinking. The main goal of BACCHUS is to find on-campus alternatives to drinking, as well as to educate the campus about the possible dangers of excessive drinking. The most popular program that BACCHUS has is its weekend movie series.





C.A.R.E.

Campus Advocates for Rape Education has had an incredibly busy year. They co-sponsored a fundraiser for New Hope (a rape crisis center), went to Minnesota for a national conference, and have done countless other forms of education on campus. In addition, they also helped run Wheaton's first annual Take Back the Night March. Next year they will show "Drawing the Shades," a multimedia skit.



Wheaton Christian Fellowship Association

The Wheaton Christian Fellowship Association is a group of students who are interested in learning about what it means as a college student to follow Jesus. They have celebrated God's goodness in worship, made good friends, and gained training in leadership and service. They also attended conferences in Rhode Island, Illinois, and Florida, to be challenged and to grow in faith and love for people on campus.

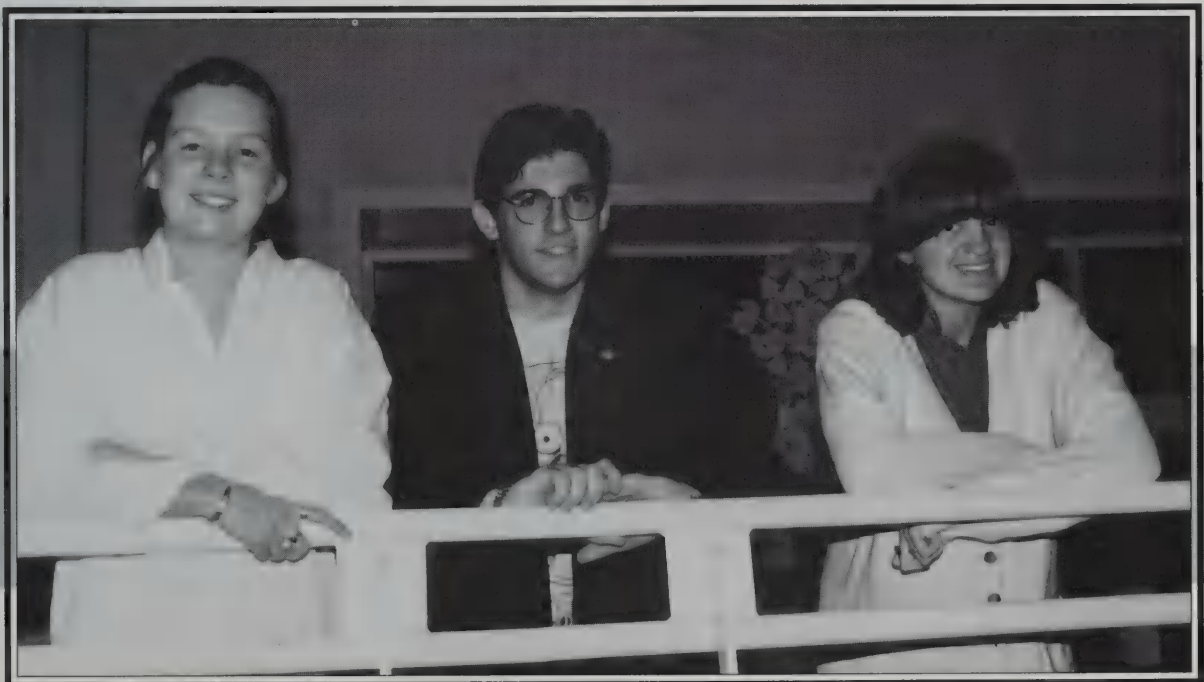
College Democrats



*Fly and you will catch the wind;
dream and you will reach your goal.
-Anonymous*

Eclectia

Eclectia is a literary magazine which publishes student poetry, prose, artwork, and photography in an annual publication.





Equestrian Team

The purpose of the Equestrian Team is to give interested equestrians of all levels, the opportunity to learn and compete at the college level. The Equestrian Team participates in a number of meets each year.

Senate



Gay/Straight Alliance





German Club



Hawaii Club

*Most of the things worth doing in the world had been
declared impossible before they were done.*

-Louis D. Brandeis

Ice Hockey



International Awareness Group

The International Awareness Group, composed of enthusiastic students committed to promoting global awareness on campus, formed earlier this year in conjunction with the Davis House for International Relations. Among its many functions, this organization sponsors cultural talks, foreign films, foreign policy debates, mock negotiations, and composes articles for the Wheaton Wire. In addition, it sponsored a trip to United Nations Day, which was celebrated at the Boston Statehouse, and to a conference hosted by a Coalition for a Stronger United Nations.



Society is no comfort to one not sociable.
-William Shakespeare



Jewish Students Association

The purpose of the Jewish Students Association is to promote Jewish awareness on campus. It also provides a place for Jewish Students on campus to go as a club with which they might identify in both religious and social aspects. Throughout the year, the Jewish Students Association hosts dinners for all the major Jewish holidays: Hanukkah, Passover, Shabbat dinners, and Rosh Hashanah.



Kindred Spirits

The Kindred Spirits are those who make up the Science Fiction and Fantasy Club. The purpose of the Kindred Spirits is to bring together people who enjoy science fiction and fantasy, view films, or to discuss books.



Latino Association

Niké

The Niké staff works hard to produce a top quality yearbook that all students can enjoy. Each year's goal is to improve upon the last. We work closely with all groups on campus to trying to achieve this goal. Our hope is that each Wheaton student will be reminded of friends and fond memories within the pages of our yearbook.





Programming for Positive Choices

Programming for Positive Choices is an SGA organization that provides alcohol-free programming for the Wheaton community. Some of the programs this year included Game Nights, comedians, and trips to places like the Museum of Science. Other activities this year were trips to see "Rent," the Boston Celtics, and the New England Revolution.



Rushlight

The purpose of Rushlight is to publish students' outstanding poetry, fiction, and artwork.



Ski Club



Student Art League

The purpose of the Student Art League is to increase art awareness on the Wheaton campus. This involves the presentation of art exhibits, museum trips, and arranging for modeling sessions.

Students Organized for Service

S.O.S. is a group of Wheaton students who are of help to others in and around our community. This year, as a group, they participated in the annual City-Year Servathon in Boston, where a Halloween Party was held for area kids. They also participated in a walk for M.S. and a walk for hunger in Boston. The group has a lot of fun together, thanks so much to the Seniors, good luck!





Tri-Beta Biological Society

BETA BETA BETA is a society for undergraduate students who are dedicated to the understanding and appreciation of biological study and extending the boundaries of human knowledge through scientific research. BETA BETA BETA is a biological honor society which is part of a national organization. As such, it is primarily organized around academics, its role and purpose are to promote biological study.

Wheaton Athlete Mentors

Wheaton Athlete Mentors, (WAM's) are athletes elected by their teammates to form a "peer network." This network's purpose is to establish and maintain a safe, encouraging, and supportive environment within the student athlete population. WAM's have an understanding of alcohol and drug issues, personal issues/crises, intervention techniques, and referral sources. They act not as counselors, but as compassionate listeners. In addition, WAM's are also responsible for organizing prevention and education programs relating to the various interests of athletes. They are an extraordinary group combining both a caring and helpful nature with athletic talent, making a true difference in our sports programs.



Wheaton Key



Think. Believe. Dream. Dare.
-Walt Disney

Wheaton Wire

The purpose of the Wheaton Wire is to provide a means to inform the community of events and to provide an outlet for community members interested in the field of journalism to voice their opinions and apply their energy towards the production of the campus newspaper.





Class of 1997 Officers

Liz Conant - Senator, Justin Davis - Treasurer, Jonathan Chapman - President, Sara Shelsy - Vice President, Christine Bellorde - Secretary.

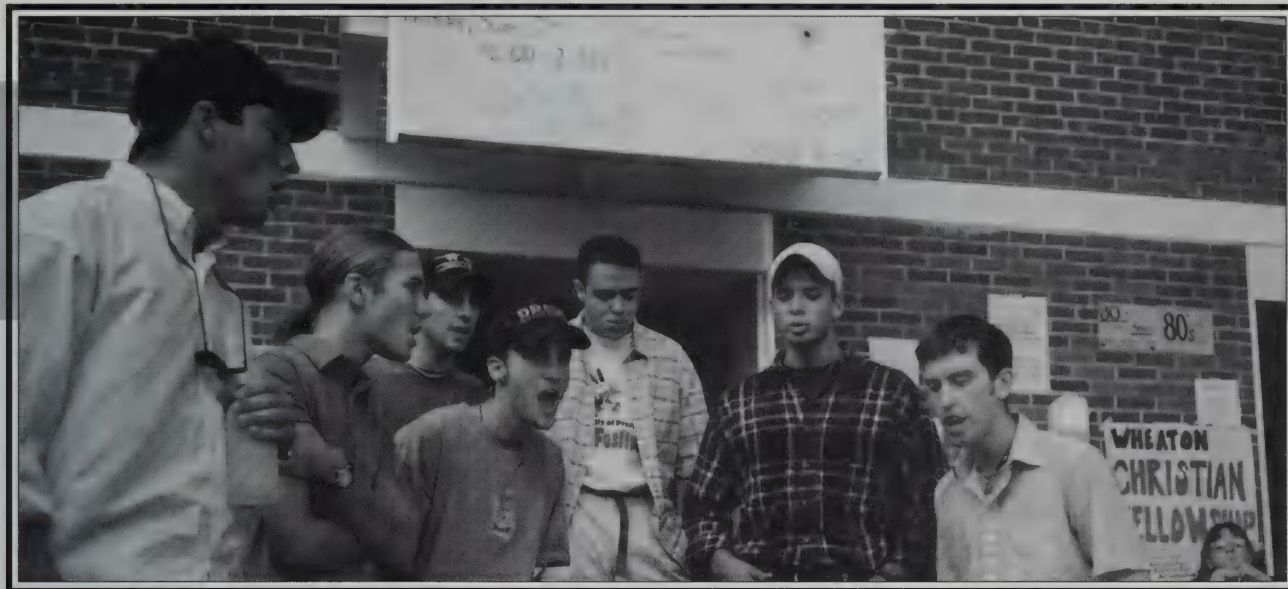
Class of 1998 Officers

(left to right) Back: Jen Ramos - Senator, Cora Sharp - Treasurer, Meredith McCoy - Vice President. Front: Kelly Lauriat - Chair of Councils, Sharon McNeely - Secretary, Mike Bettencourt - President.



Class of 1999 Officers

(left to right) Cory Greene - Vice President, Dan Cordella - President, Braden Ferrari - Treasurer, Charlotte Spears - Senator, Rebecca Chamberlain - Secretary.



*But if I can't swim after forty days, and my mind is crushed by the
thrashing waves, lift me up so high that I can not fall-*

Lift me up.

-Jars of Clay

Gentleman Callers

The Gentleman Callers had an excellent year while doing concerts for many different audiences including other colleges, Christine Todd Whitman in New Jersey, and our own Wheaton College. They were also successful at the A Capella Championships, where they won two awards for best soloists, and also an award for best arrangement.

With the future of the GC's looking better than ever, we hope to continue improving and putting on great shows.





*And I wish her insight to battle love's blindness,
strength from the milk of human kindness, a safe
place for all the pieces that scatter, to learn to pre-
tend there's more than love that matters...*

-Indigo Girls

Wheatones

The Wheatones, an all-women, a cappella group was established 51 years ago. They hold auditions once a semester and generally keep the size of the group between nine and fourteen. They have sung on campus this year for such events as: Admissions Visiting Day, Autumn Fest Weekend, Founder's Luncheon, Commencement Concert, and 2 Wheaton Jams. Off Campus performances have included singing at Rumsey in Connecticut, the Alumnae/i Club on Cape Cod, and a fundraiser for New Hope.





Whims

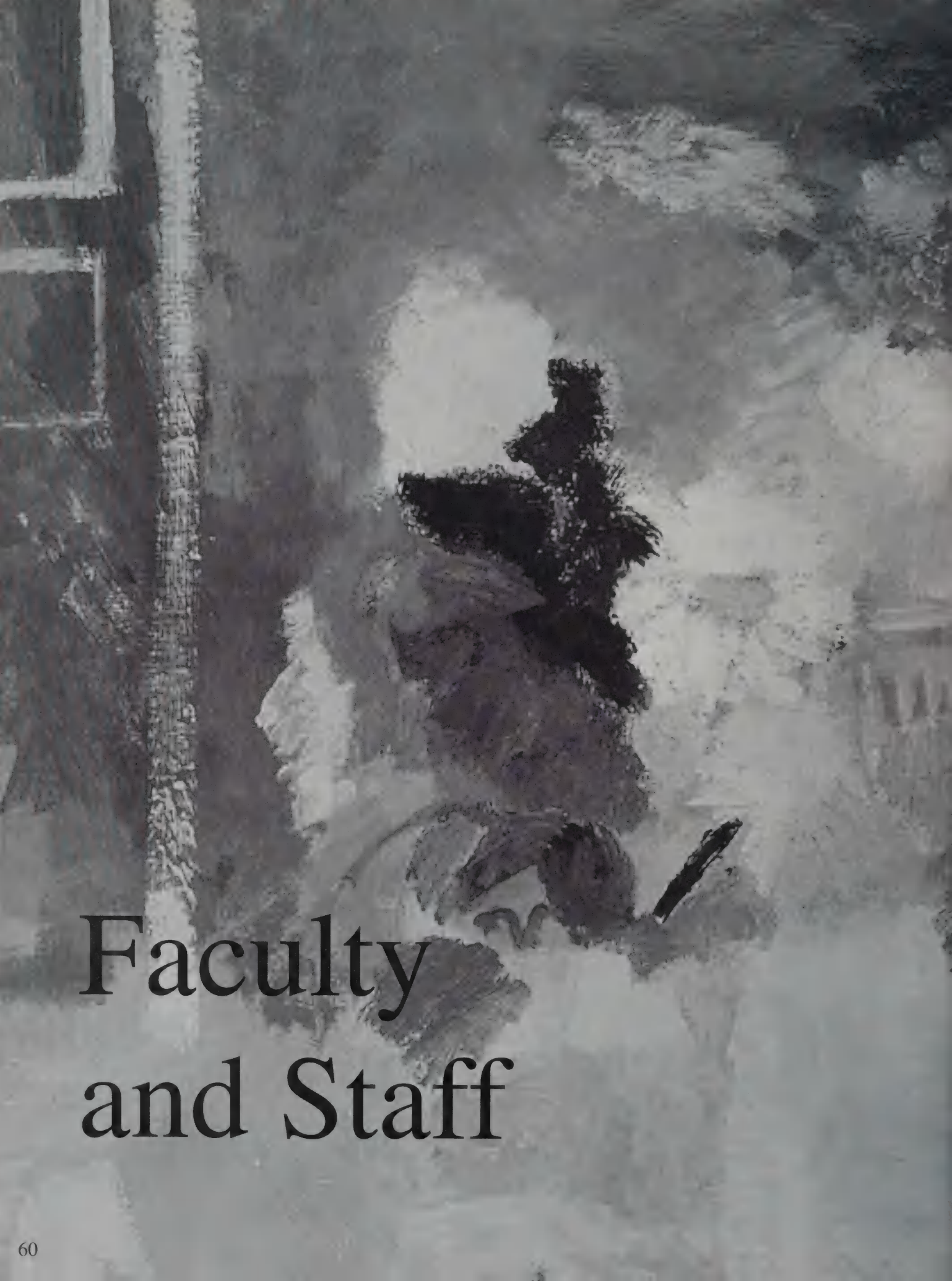
The mission of the Whims is to expand the musical diversity of this campus by providing a group for qualified women to join together and create beautiful and meaningful vocal performances. The Whims will forever remain a group that fosters sisterhood and understanding by enhancing its members' mutual love of music.



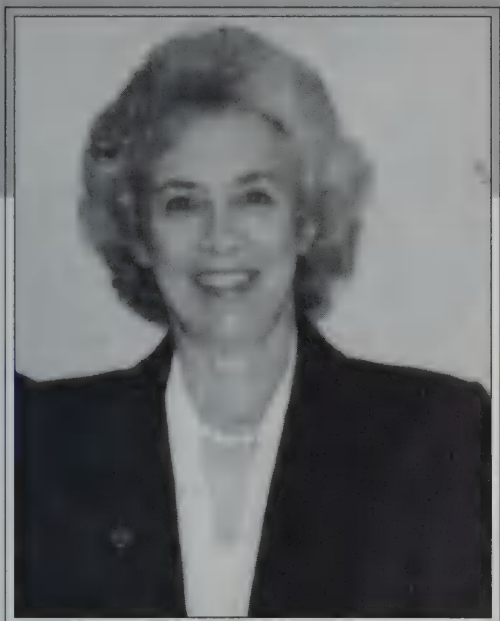
Tomorrow has something special and it's something we know will last and last.

-Tevin Campbell





Faculty and Staff



President Dale Marshall



President's Office



Provost's Office



Provost Hannah Goldberg



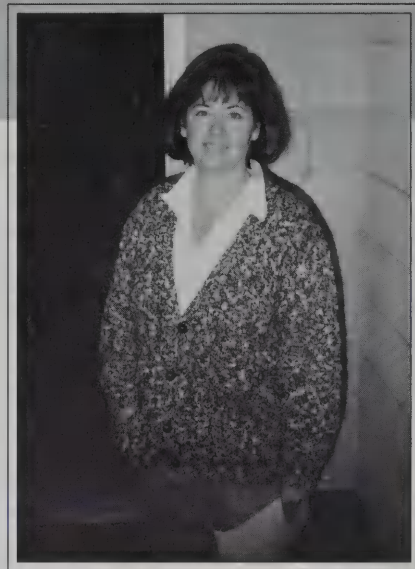
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Chemistry Department



Classics Department



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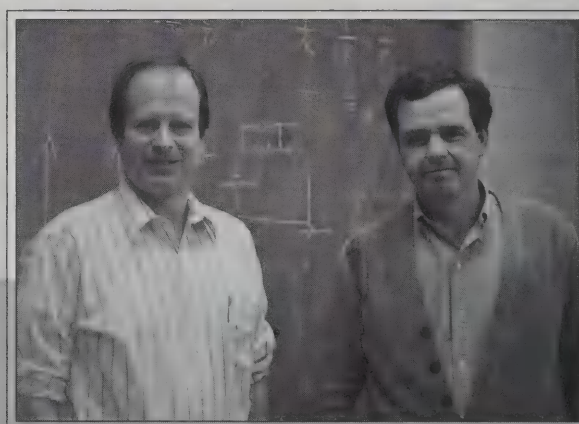
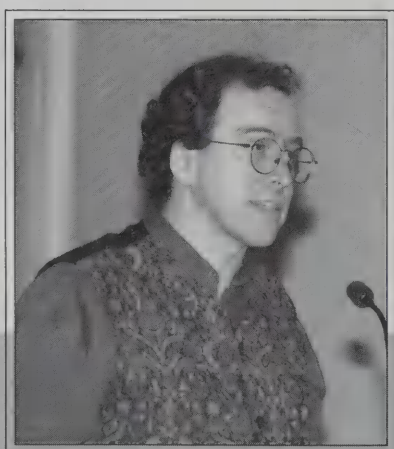
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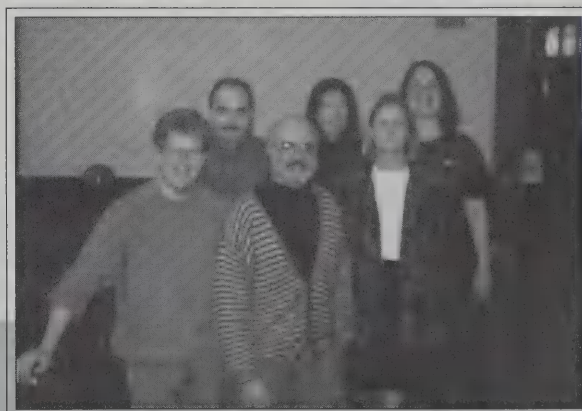
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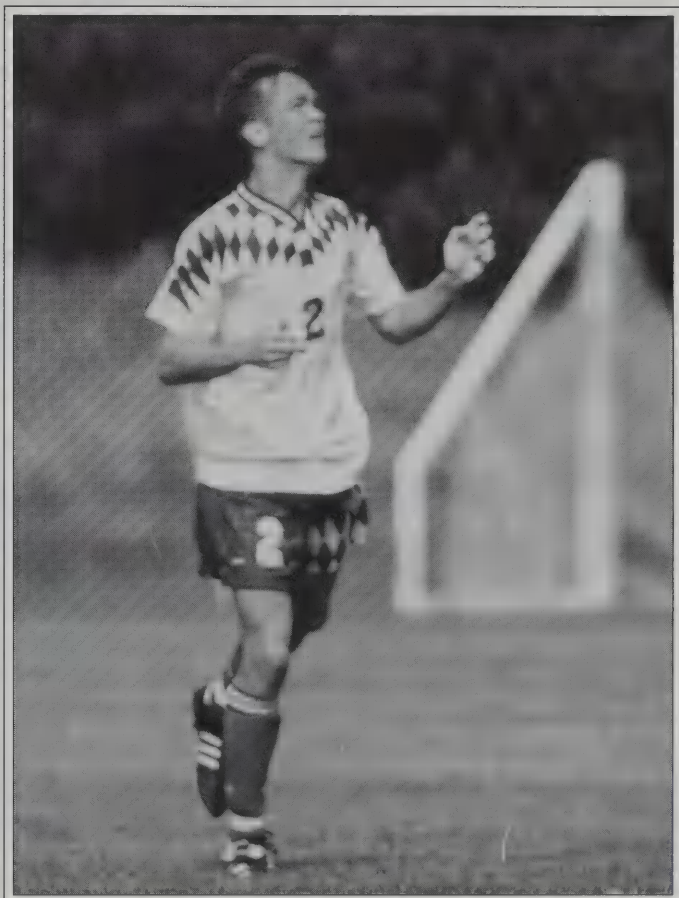
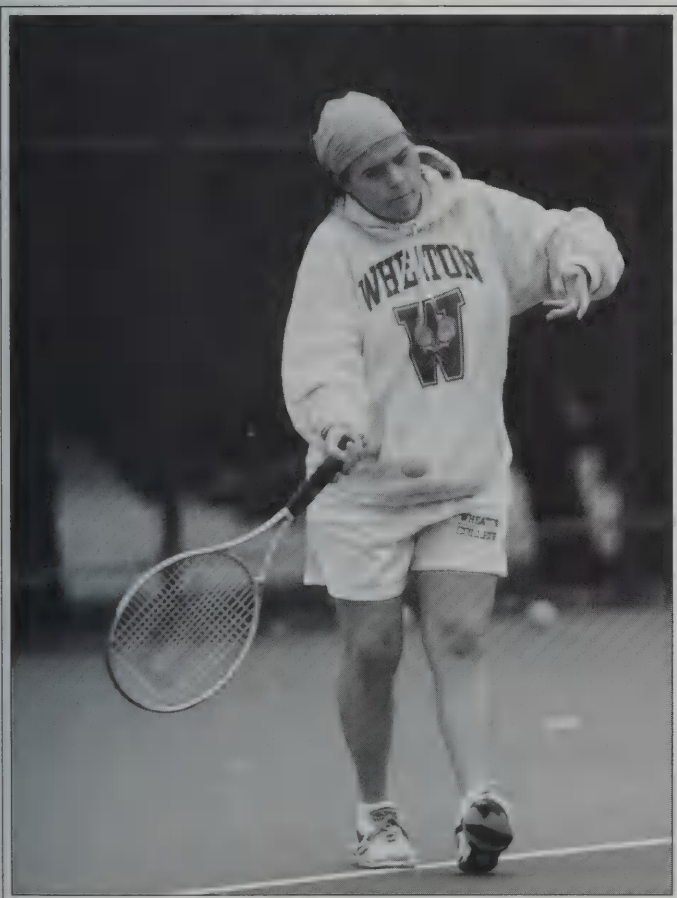
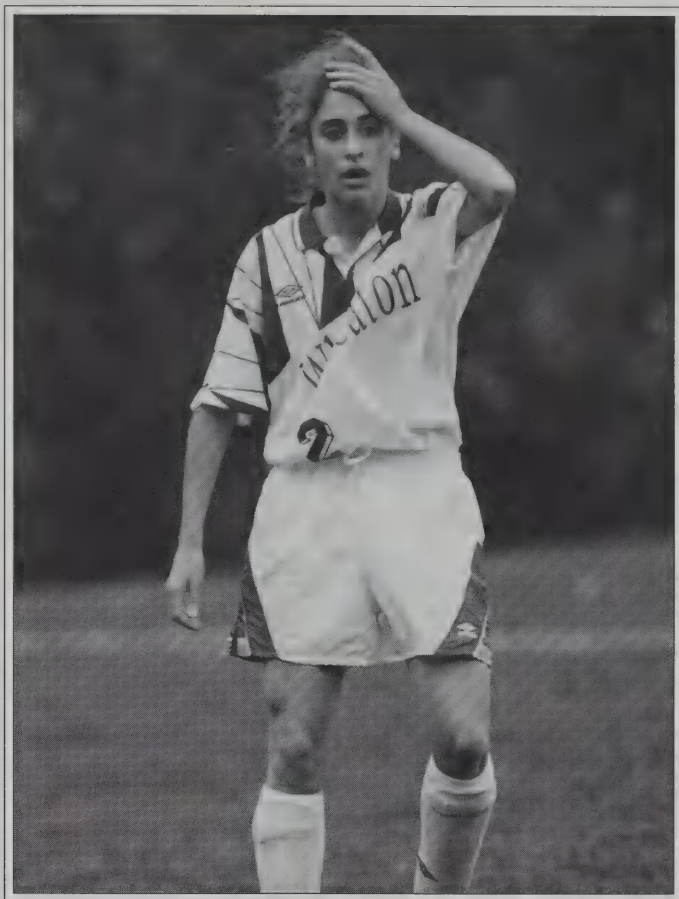
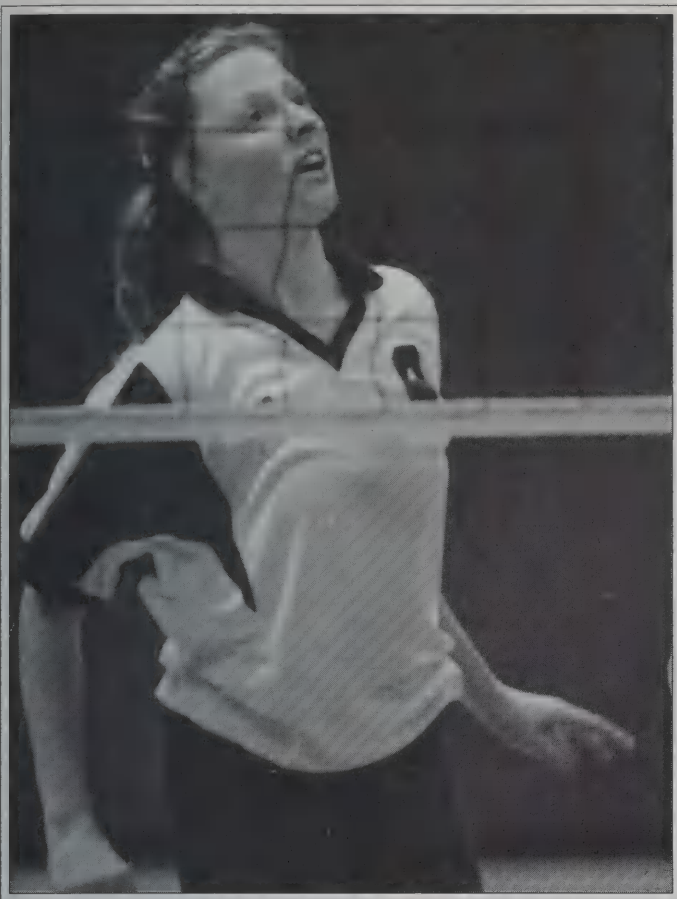
The Junior Class: '98





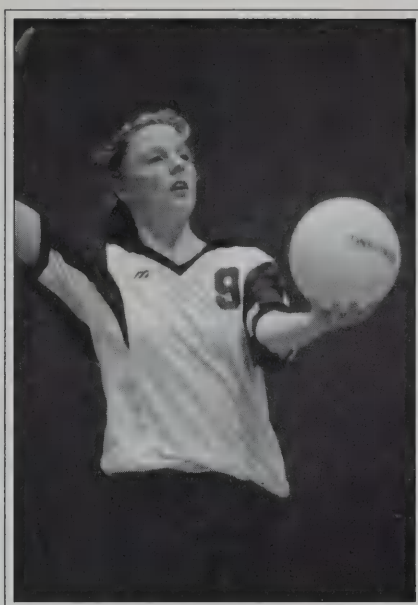


Athletics





VOLLEYBALL



The 1996-1997 Women's Volleyball team had a strong season, ending with a record of 19-13. Their best performances came in the tournaments they attended, with close finishes coming at Bates and MIT.

The up and down season culminated on senior night when Wheaton nearly beat NCAA bound Coast Guard Academy in a stunning five game match.

The seasons conclusion came at the NEW 8 tournament where Wheaton lost to Wellesley, the eventual NEW 8 Champions.

Some great efforts this year came from junior Lynn Mulkeen who hit more than 1,000 sets, and freshman Neva Metcalf, who did an outstanding job as middle linebacker.

Recognition also goes to this years seniors: Carin Walker, a backcourt specialist; Tracey Buschenfeldt, Sarah Szczepanick, and Kaitlyn Beasley, a strong hitter; who helped to make this season a success and will be greatly missed.



MEN'S AND WOMEN'S



CROSS COUNTRY



The 1996 Women's Cross Country team was perhaps the finest in Wheaton history. The Lyons, led by four Eastern Collegiate All-Stars (juniors Sarah Howard and Karin Sheldon, sophomore Rebecca Chamberlin, and freshman Allison Karpeichnik) won the Trinity and Westfield State Invitational.

They also placed second in the NEW-8 meet and the ECAC Championships. The team narrowly missed qualifying for the National Finals.

High school All-American, Vicki Swindells ('00), missed much of the season with a stress fracture.



For the first time in several years, Wheaton was able to put a Men's Cross Country team in competition. Captain, George Perkins ('99), and Kevin Bullock ('99) were leaders of a young and aggressive squad which holds much promise for the future.



Field Hockey

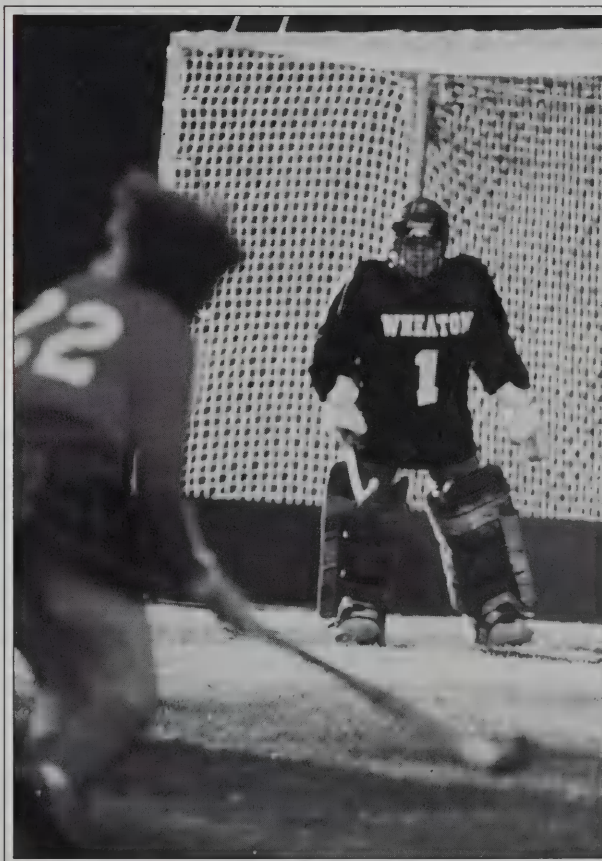


The 1996 Women's Field Hockey team was marked with many accomplishments at seasons end. The Lyons started off slow but ended the season with winning record, making it to the semi-final round of the NEW 8 tournament. Wheaton beat Clark University 3-1, avenging an earlier loss, to advance to the semifinals. But there they lost a hard fought battle to the WPI engineers to bring their season to a close.

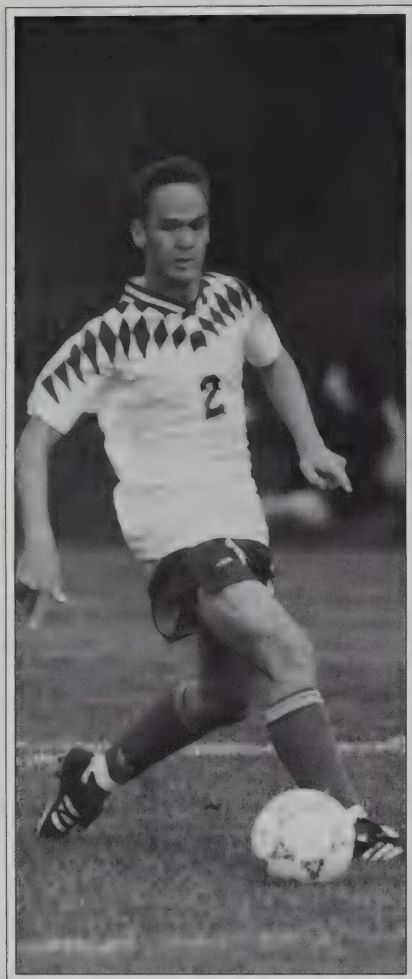
Two players were named to the NEW 8 All - Conference team this year. Junior Alyssa Goodrich, a forward who scored 6 goals and made 5 assists this season, and sophomore Linda Whitney, in her first year as starting goal keeper, were both named to the squad for the first time.

Seven other Wheaton players were named to the National Academic Squad. Sophmores: Sarah Lake, Molly Martin, and Elisha Winkler. Juniors: Melissa Hutchins, Audrey Hunter, and Alyssa Goodrich. And senior co-captain Shannon Dolby. To make this squad the student-athlete needs a cumulative GPA of 3.3 or higher.





Men's Soccer



The 1996-1997 Men's Soccer team had it's best season ever! They ended the year ranked in the National top 25, with a record of 15-3-3.

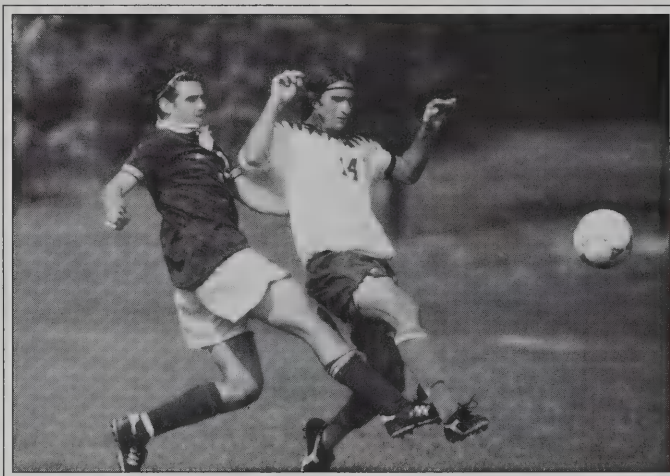
The season started with big wins over Springfield (3-1) and Bates (4-1), and ended on a strong note with wins over Bridgewater (2-1) and Plymouth State (2-0).

Much of the success can be attributed to the stellar goal tending by junior Jon Girolamo. And the tremendous effort by senior Oscar Medina, which was rewarded by him being named as a first team All-American, a Wheaton first.

Junior Pete Reed also excelled by making the All-New England squad for the second straight year. Sophomores Jim Manganello, Brent Carlson and Jeremy Long also contributed strong efforts towards Wheaton's success.

Overall, Sven Lehner, Brandon LeFlem, Bob Wysolmierski, and Oscar can all leave Wheaton as being part of the most successful class ever.

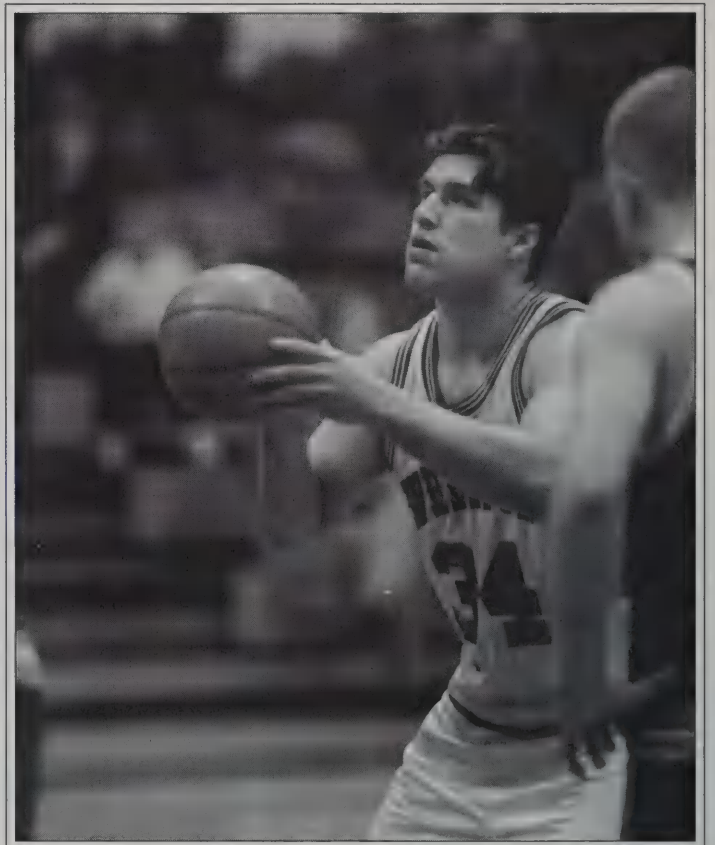
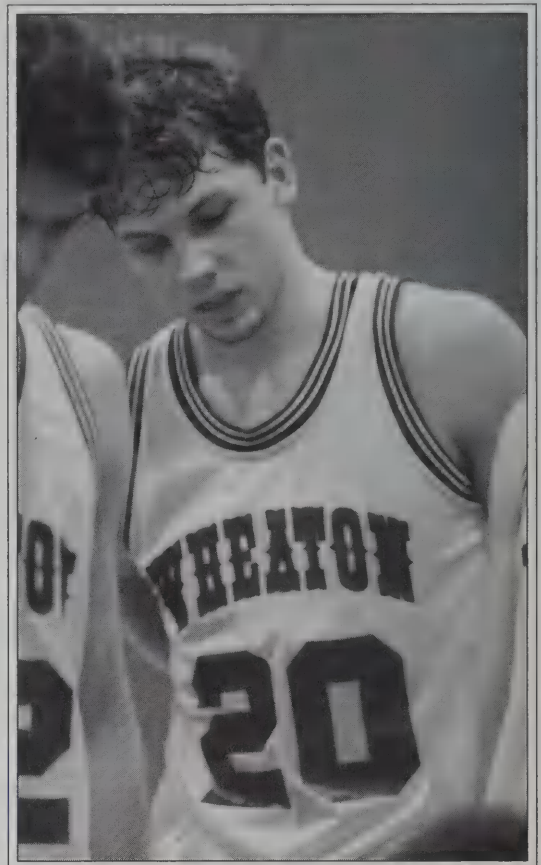




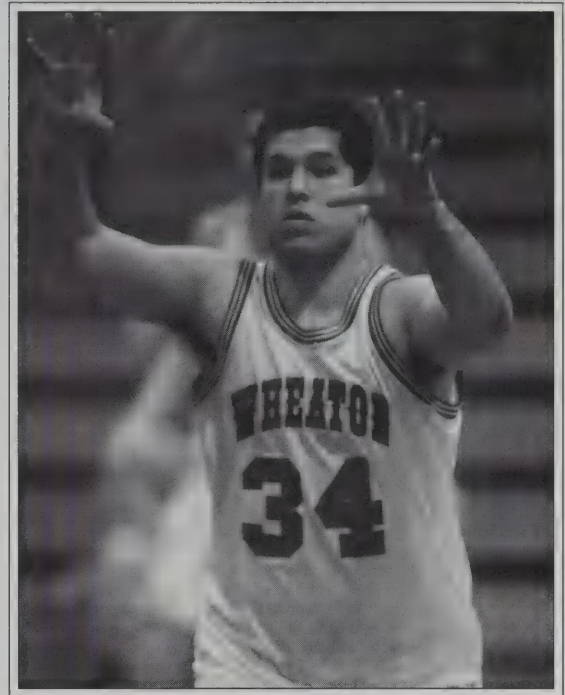
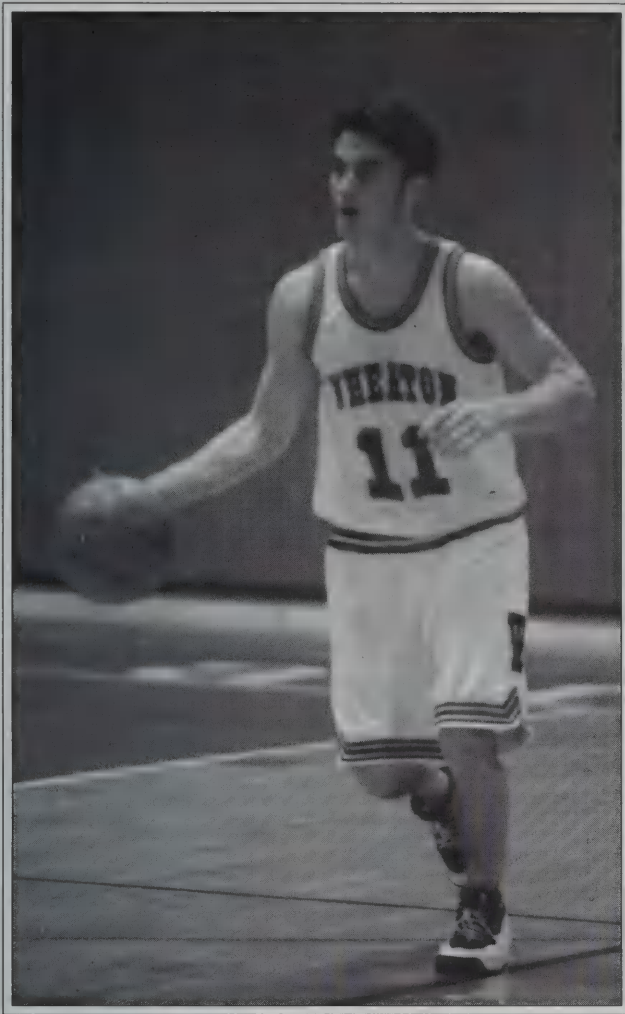
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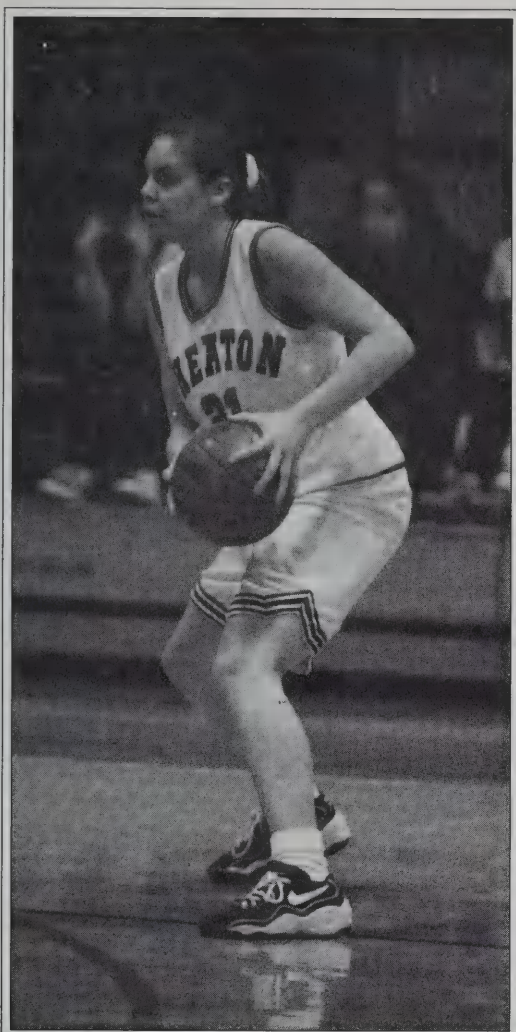


MEN'S BASKETBALL





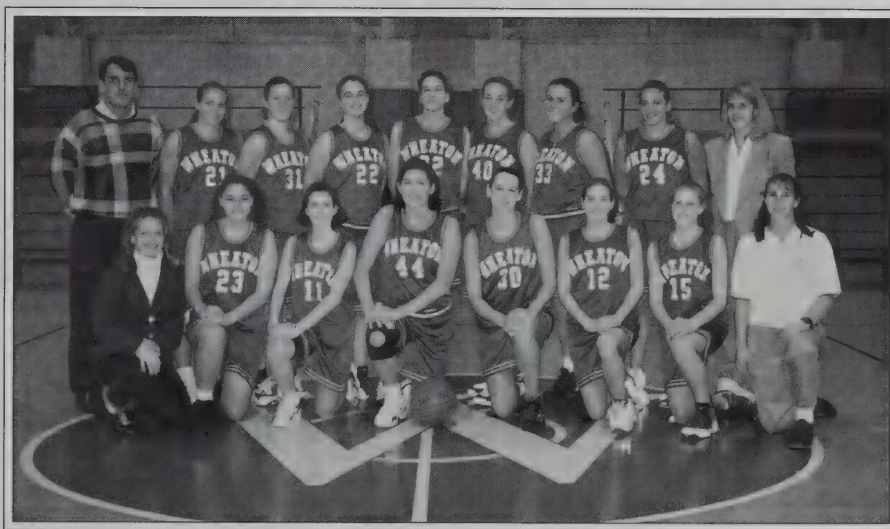
WOMEN'S BASKETBALL



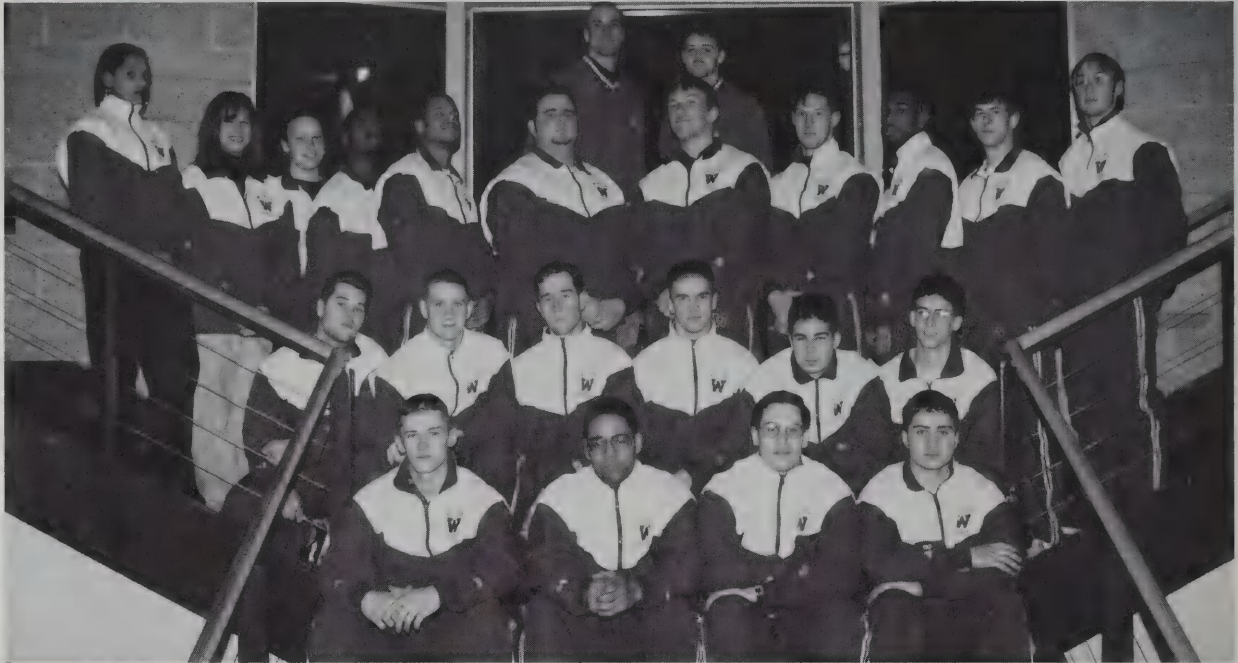
The 1996 - 1997 Women's Basketball team ended this season above the .500 mark with a record of 13 wins and 12 losses. The teams leading scorer was Kate Bullock ('00) with 10.9 points per game and Nancy Kelley ('98) was close behind at ppg.

Leading the team in the rebounding was Nicole LaBelle with 8.4 rebounds per game, and again, Nancy Kelley was second with 7.0 ppg.

At the team breakup dinner in April, Nicole LaBelle, the teams only senior, received two awards: The coaches award and the Nancy P. Norton Women's Basketball Award, which is presented to an outstanding player who maintains a GPA of at least a 3.0.

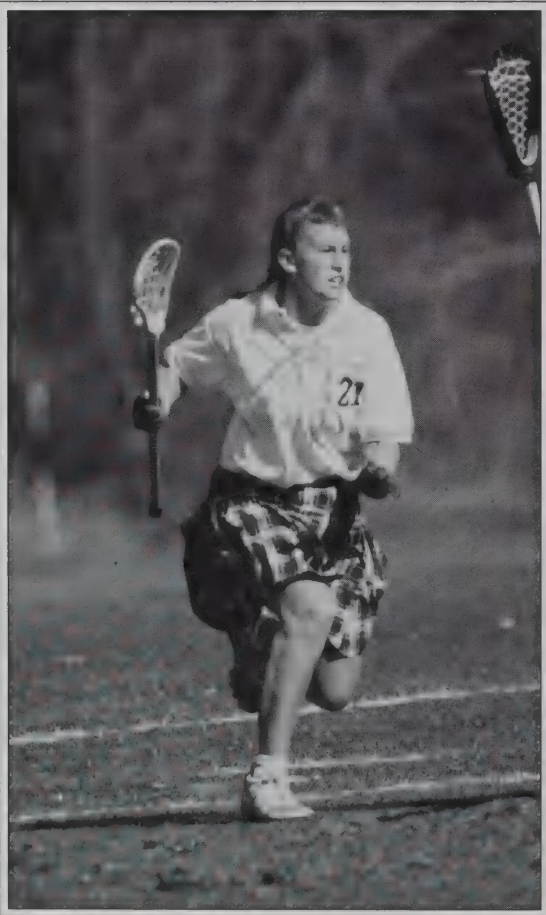
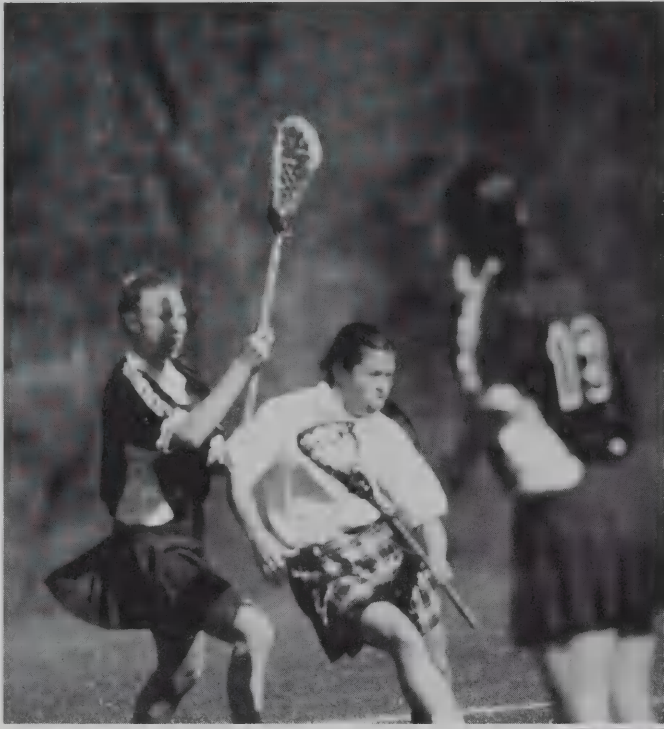


MEN'S AND WOMEN'S TRACK AND FIELD



MEN'S LACROSSE





WOMEN'S LACROSSE

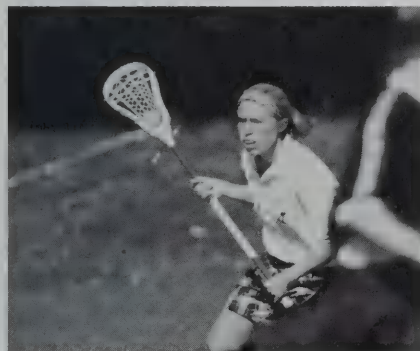


The 1997 Women's Lacrosse team finished the season with with their best record in 11 years, 9-5-0. One win came over NEW-8 rival MIT, 13-8.

For spring break. They traveled to St. Petersburg, FL to attend the All-American Lacrosse camp.

While there they got to scrimmage other college teams, like UMASS, Smith, and Dartmouth. But they also made sure they had fun by taking trips to the beach and Busch Gardens.

Defender, Linda Whitney ('99) was named to the NEW-8 All-Conference team this year. She had 3 goals, 5 assists, and 13 interceptions. Her hard work also earned her the Coaches Award.



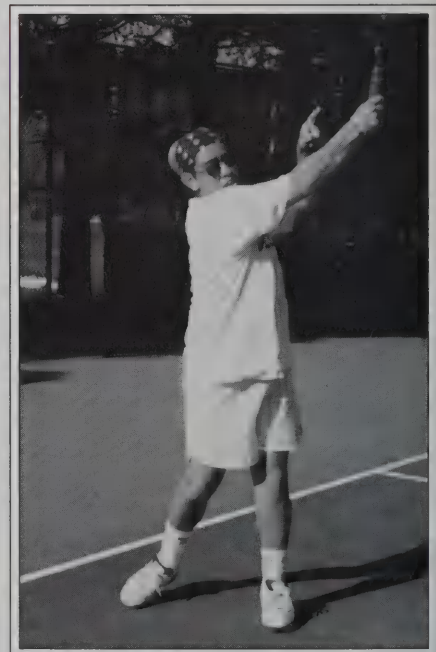
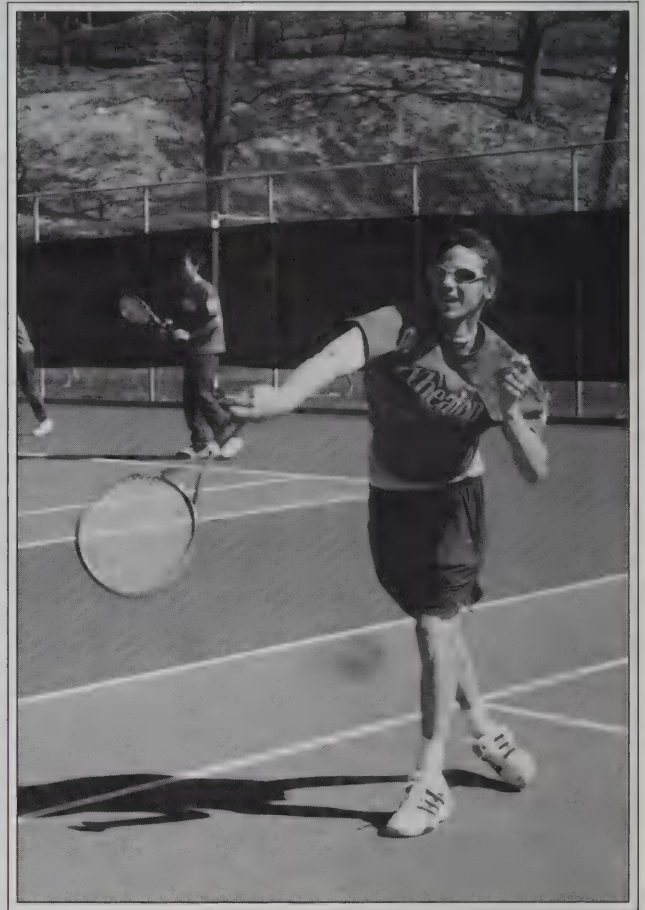
MEN'S TENNIS

This years Men's Tennis team had an exciting season, finishing just under .500 with some outstanding wins. They had 7-0 shut-outs over Clark Univ., WPI, Salve Regina, and Bridgewater State.

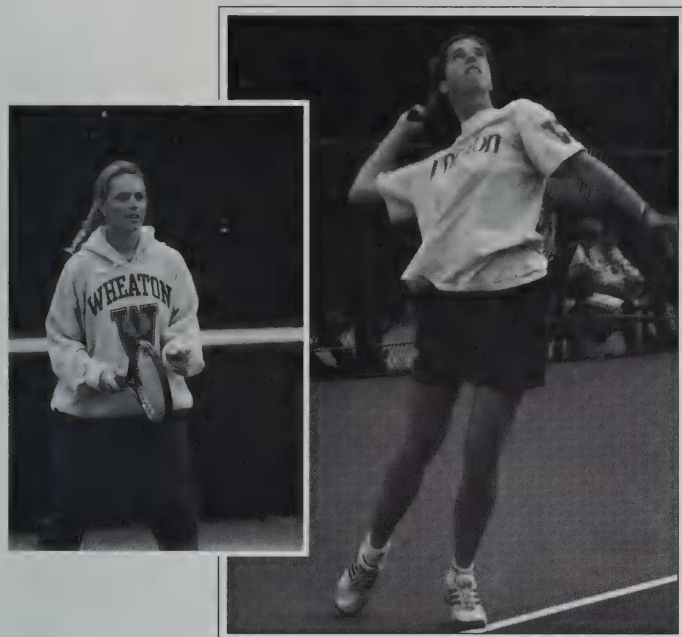
Over spring break the team traveled to Hilton Head, SC for a tournament. They did a great job, even beating Div. II Northern Kentucky Univ. 9-3.

The team will be losing two seniors this year: Nationally ranked Kord Schwarz and Vladimir Pourer. But there are some great players returning next year.

The #3 and #4 singles players, Chris Abildgaard and Andrew McKinney, both freshman, show great promise for the future. Also, Doug Larence and Josh Schriber worked extremely hard this season and will surely have a great impact on the team in 97-98.



WOMEN'S TENNIS

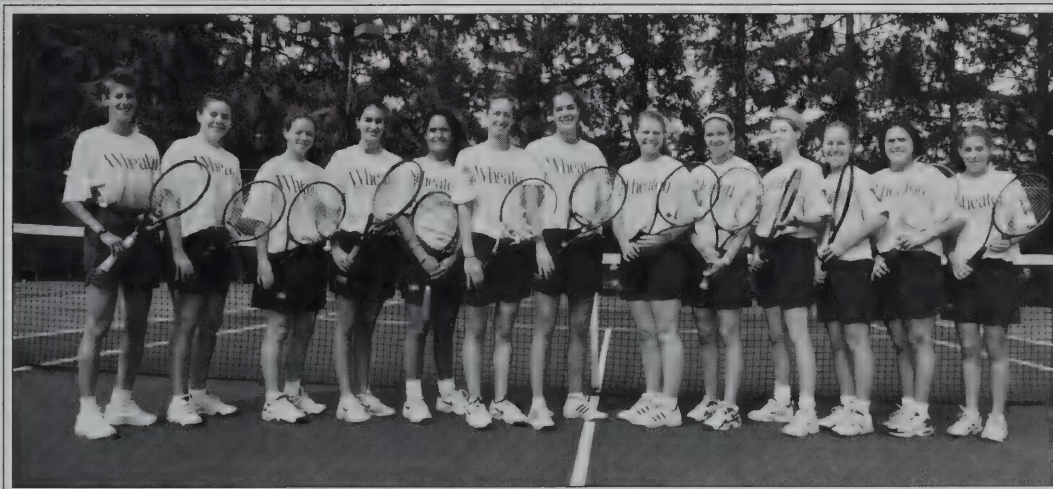
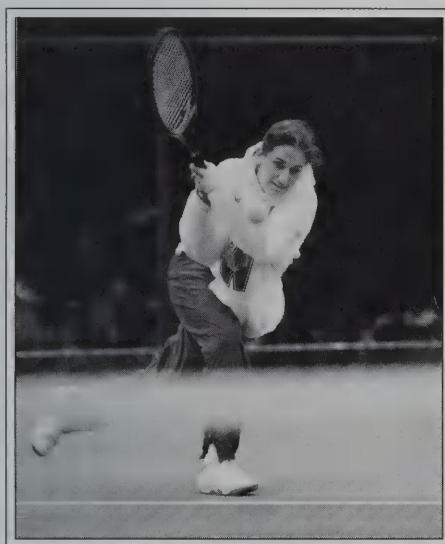


The 1996-97 women's tennis team went through a "rebuilding year." They ended the season with a record of 4-8 and a fifth place finish in NEW 8 Conference play.

In singles play, senior Chrissie Humphrey ended the sesason with an 8-8 record, losing in the second round of New Englands to Bowdoin's Andrea Hotchkin. The #2 player, Christina Kehas, lost 6-4 in the third set against Tuft's Nikki Kraslin. Coach Miller called this Christina's "best match of the season."

This years biggest highlight came in the doubles matches at New Englands. The Lyons struggled all season in doubles, but all 3 of Wheaton's doubles teams secured wins in the consolation round.

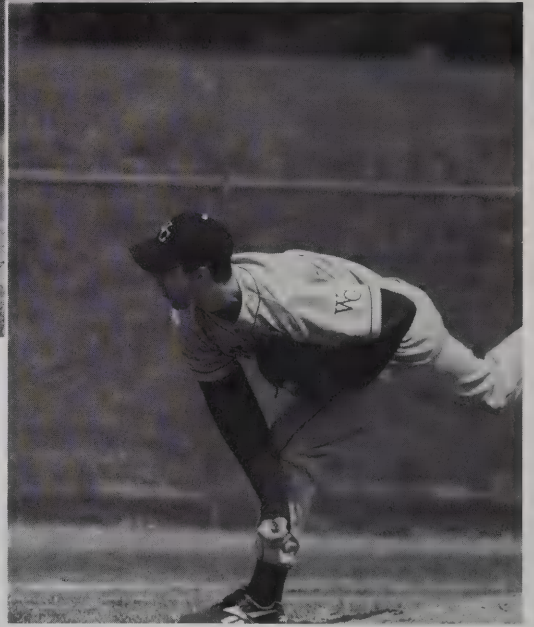
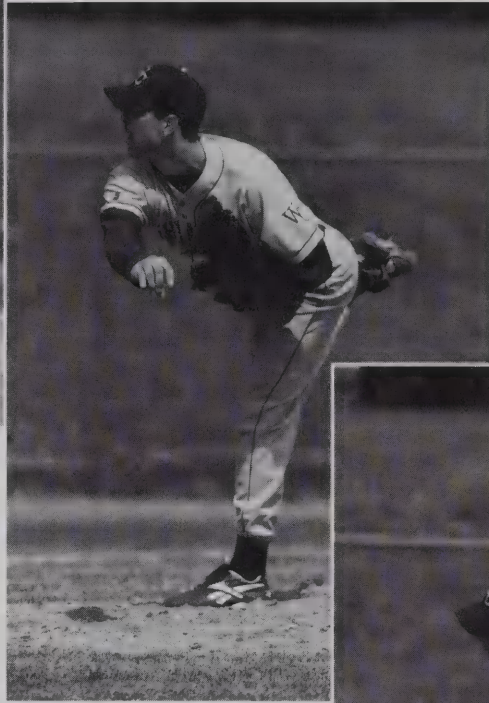
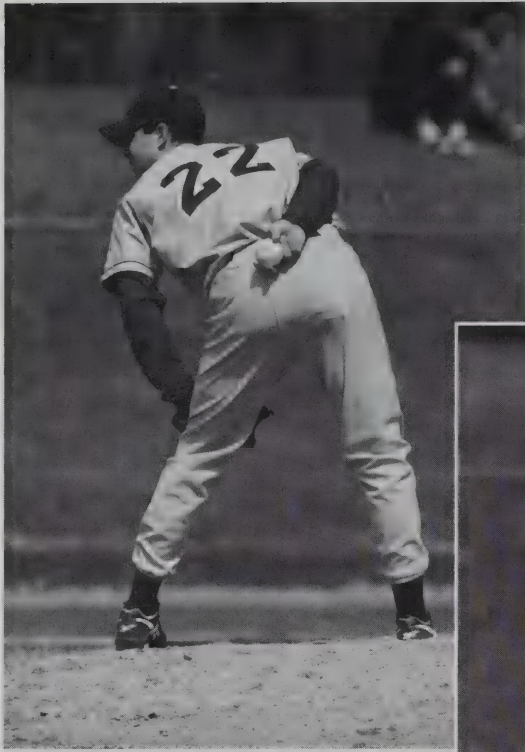
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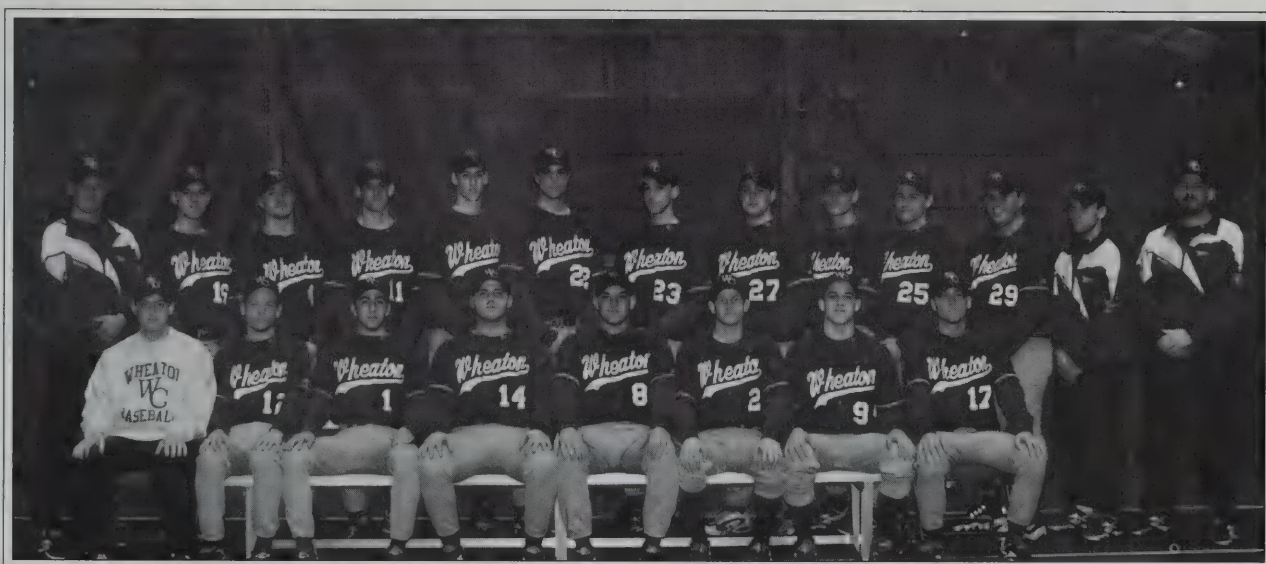
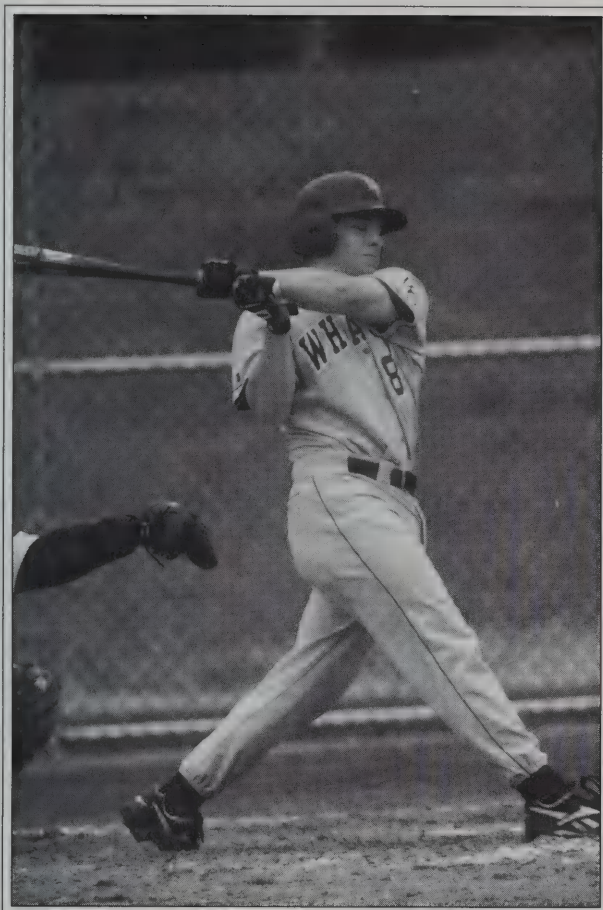
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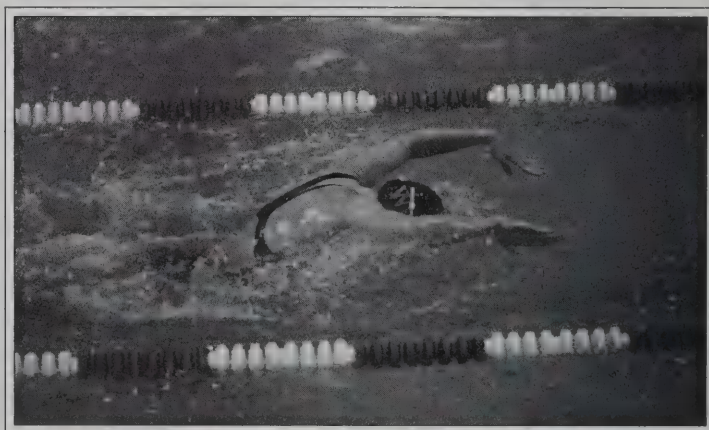
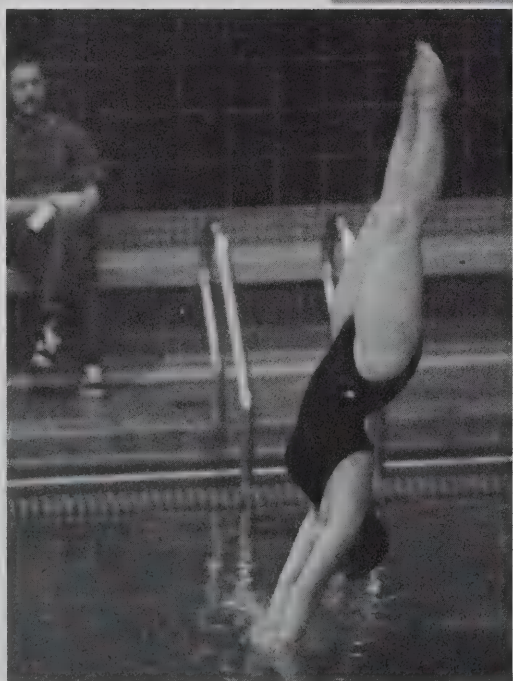
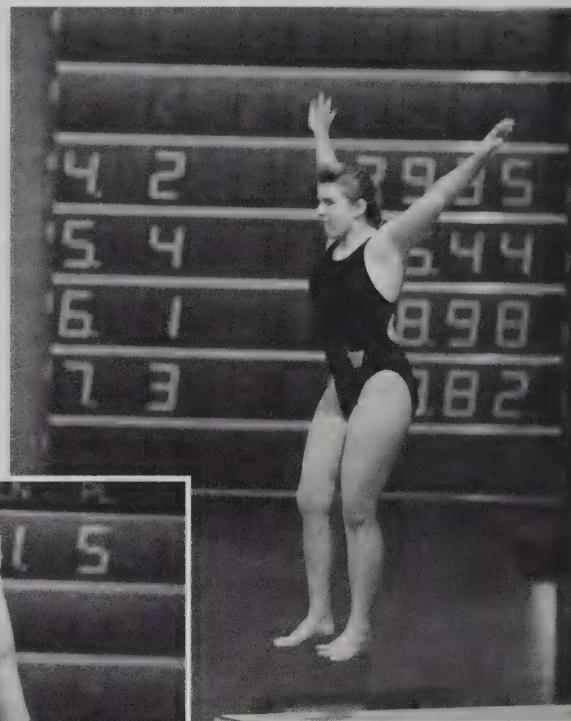




BASEBALL



WOMEN'S SWIMMING

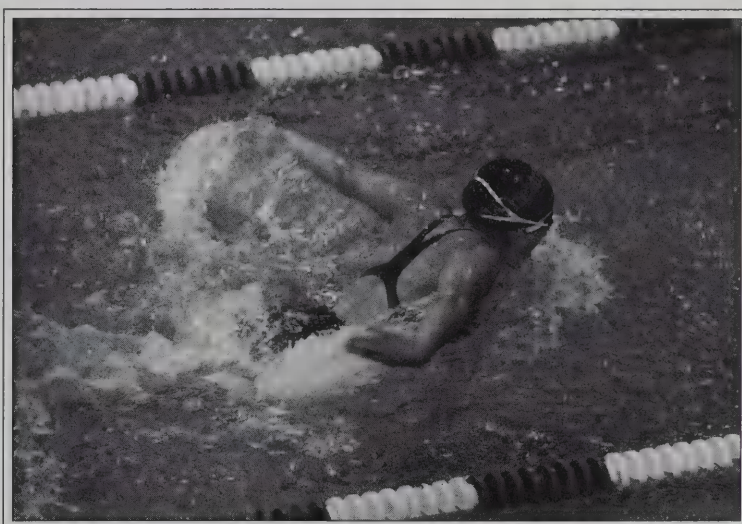


AND DIVING



The 1996-1997 Women's Swimming and Diving team had many highlights during the season. Junior, Laura Jacobson set four team records this year in the 50 & 100 yards freestyle, 50 yards butterfly, and the 100 yard individual medley.

The team had best times in almost every event. Seniors, Amy Schulten and Synne Wing will be greatly missed.

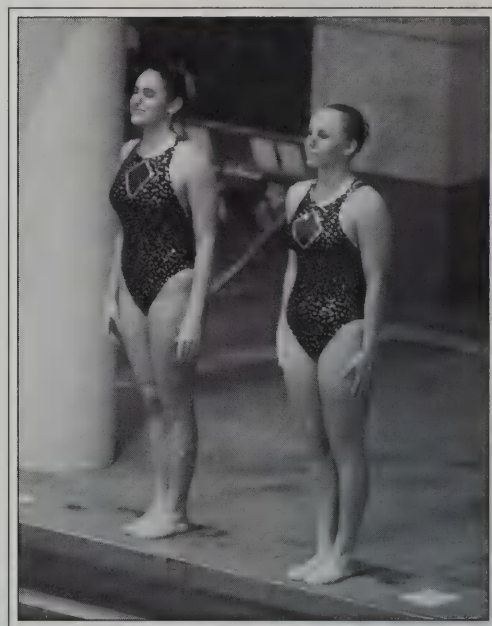


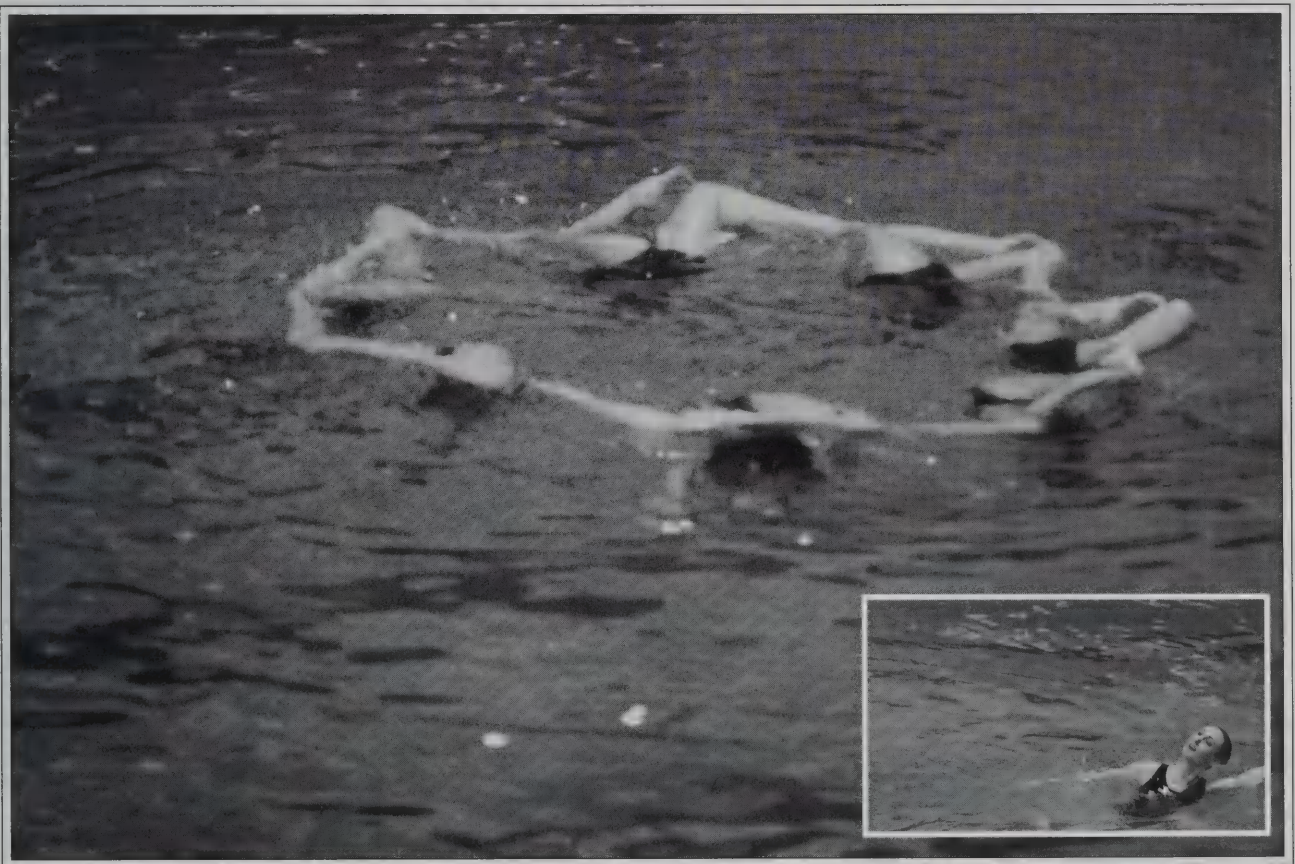
SYNCHRONIZED SWIMMING

The 1996 - 1997 Synchronized Swim team ended their season with a 7th place finish at the Collegiate National Championships in Tallahassee, FL.

They also placed third at the East Collegiate Regional Championships at Millersville University.

The team will lose three dedicated seniors this year: Anne Lewis, Sarah Lee Holden, and Brandi Pfleiderer.





MEN'S AND WOMEN'S SWIMMING



AND DIVING

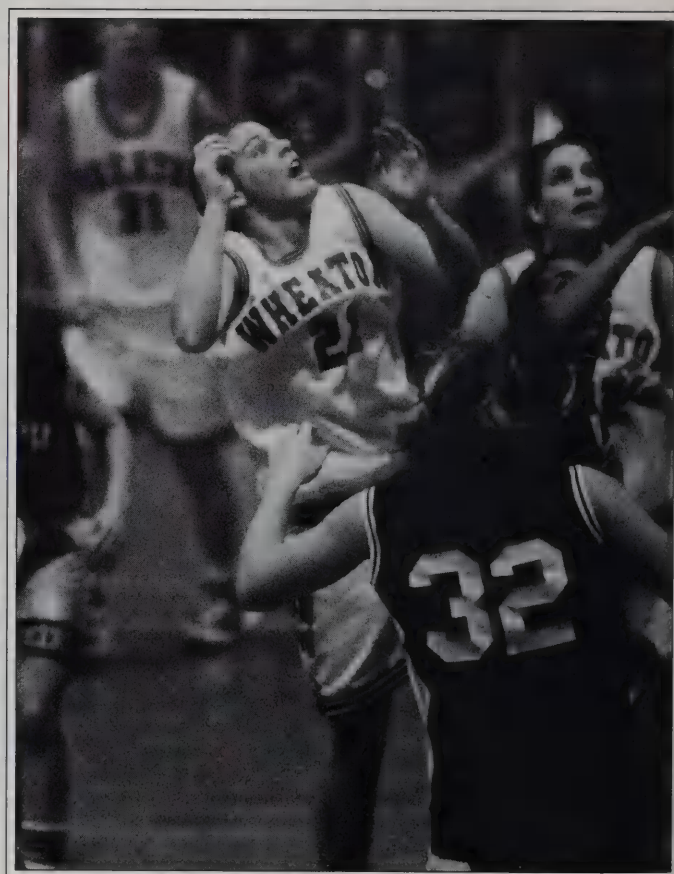
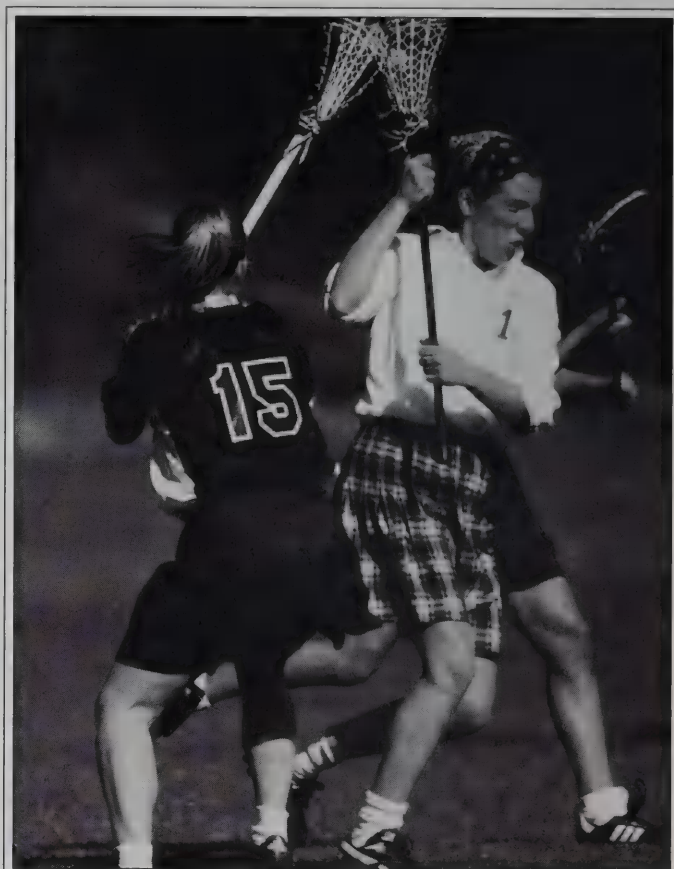
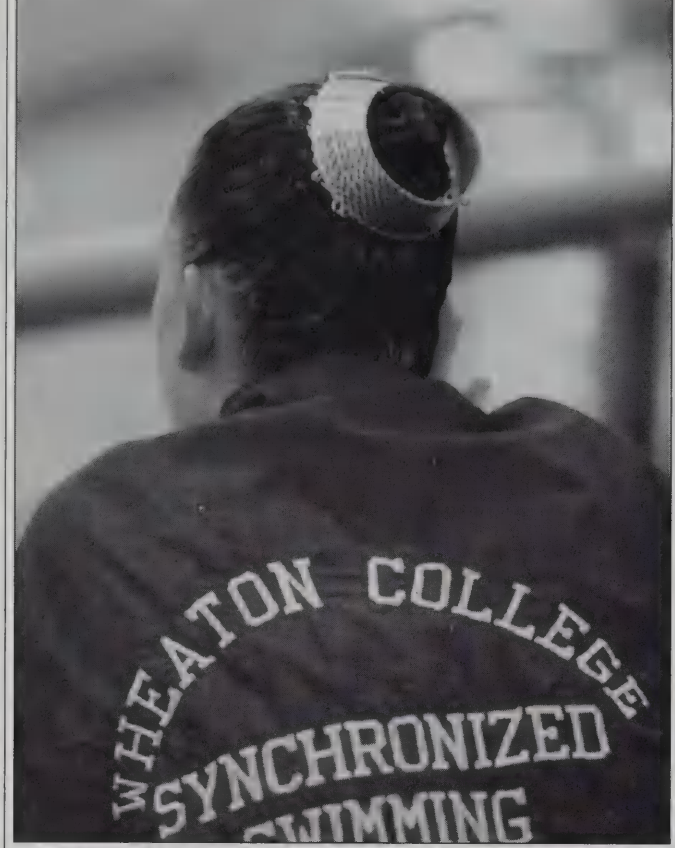


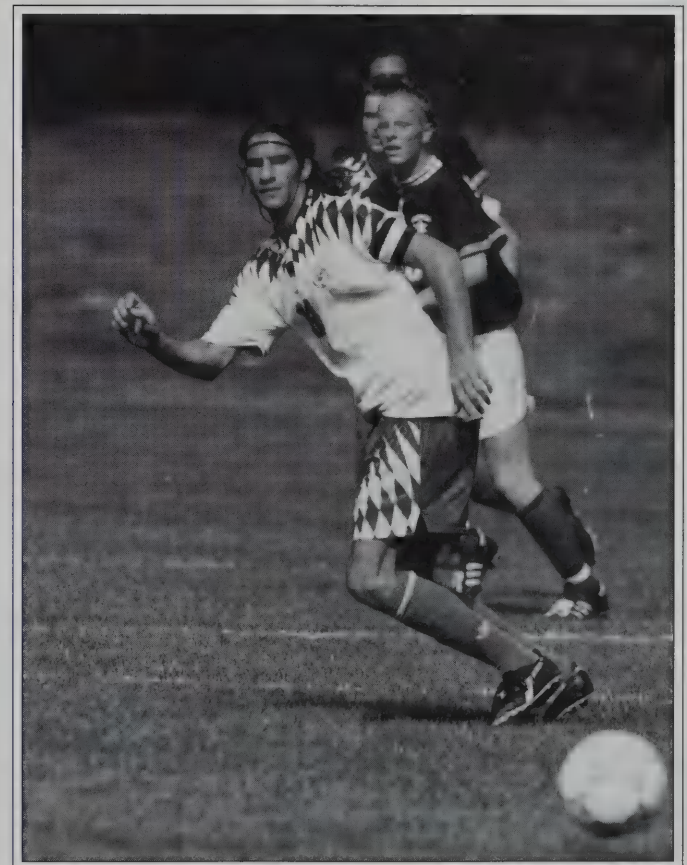
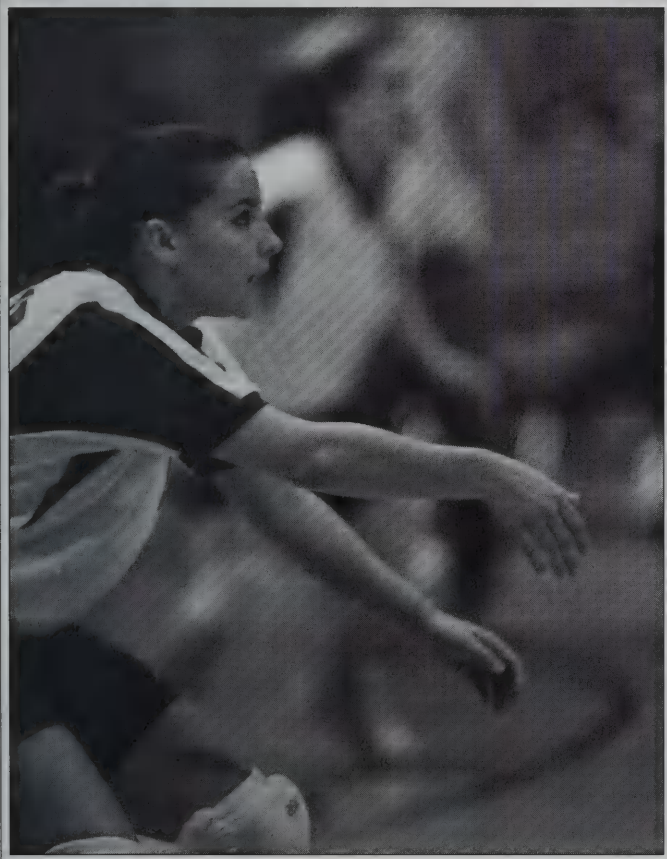
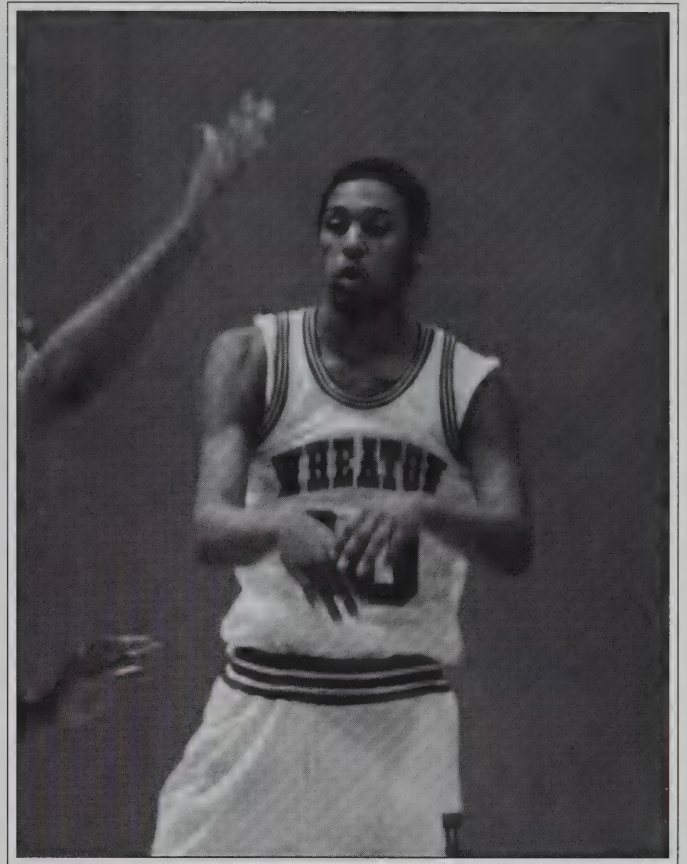
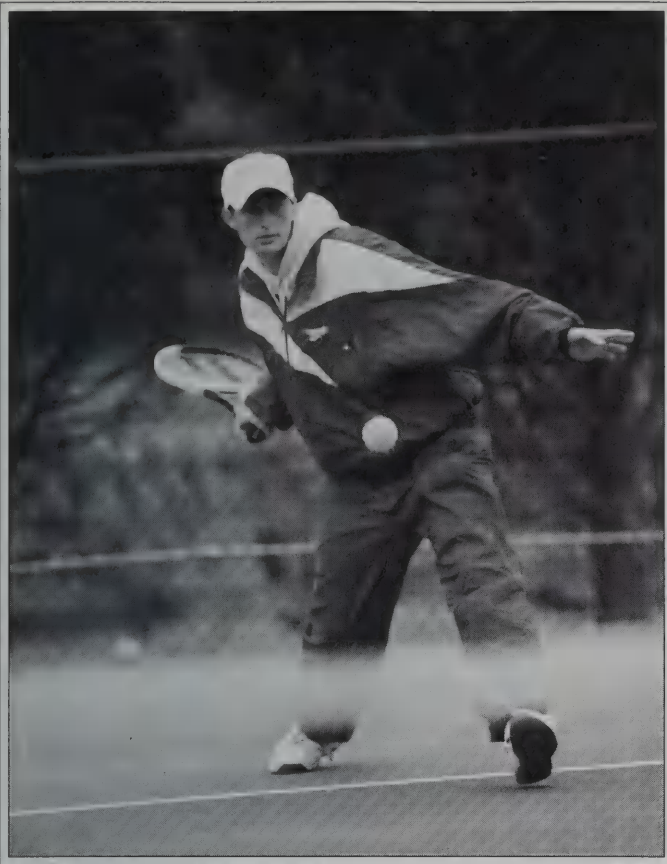
Although not winning seasons, the 1996-1997 Men's Swimming and Diving team continued to grow and make their presence known in the New England arena.

Still young, and hampered by a small size, the team did manage to compete. Freshman Bradford Albus had excellent diving at the New England Championships. Plus, the team did take a trip in January to Venezuela.

The team was also plagued by injuries. But seniors Tim Armstrong and Dave Higgins can leave knowing they were part of a future of great swimming and diving here at Wheaton.



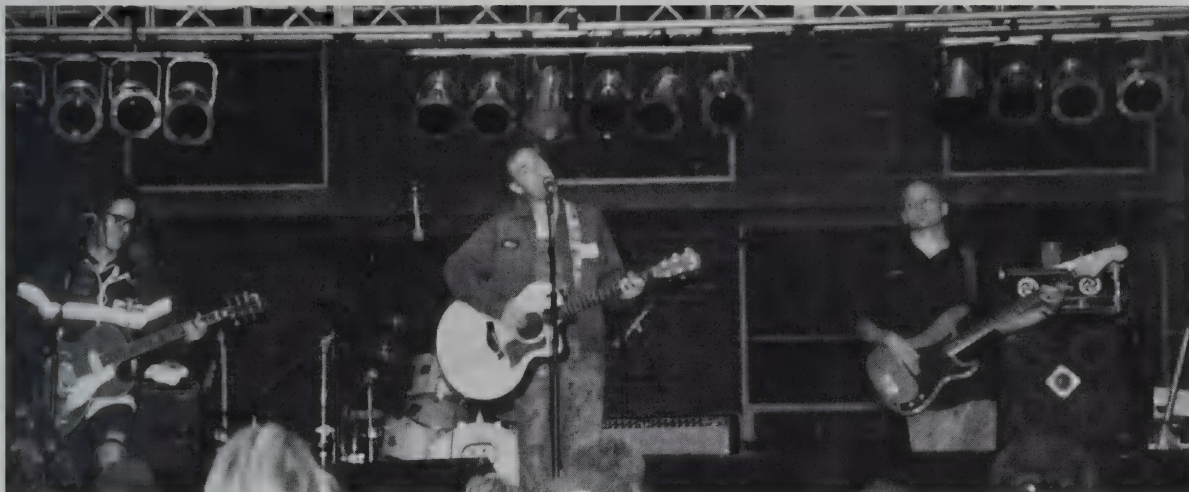




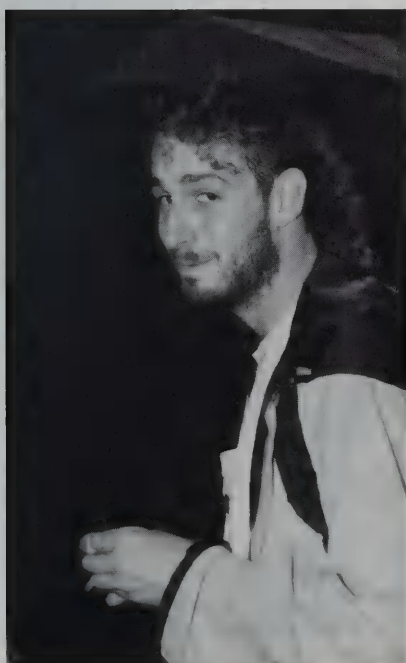


Activities

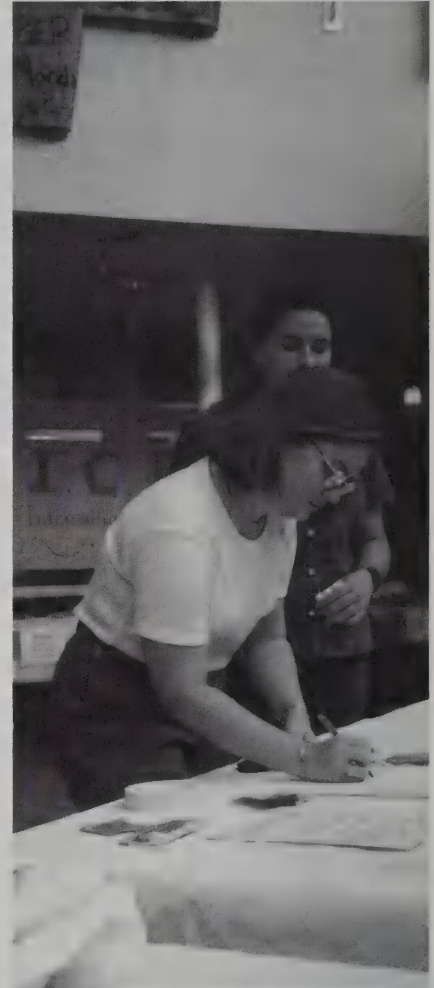
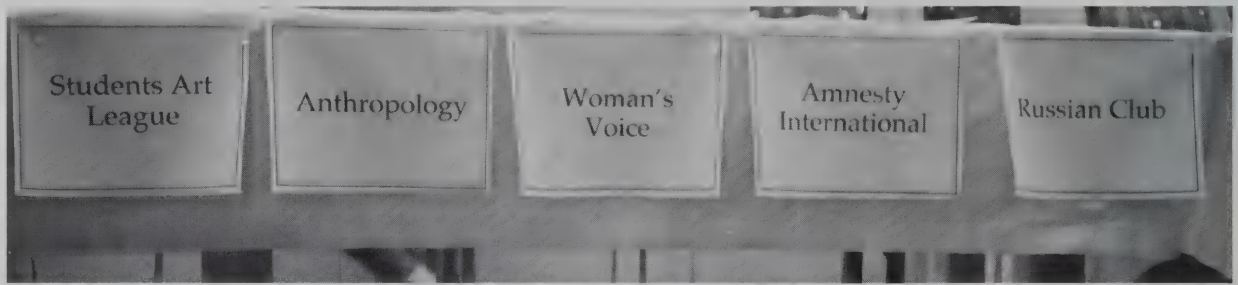
Welcome Back Weekend



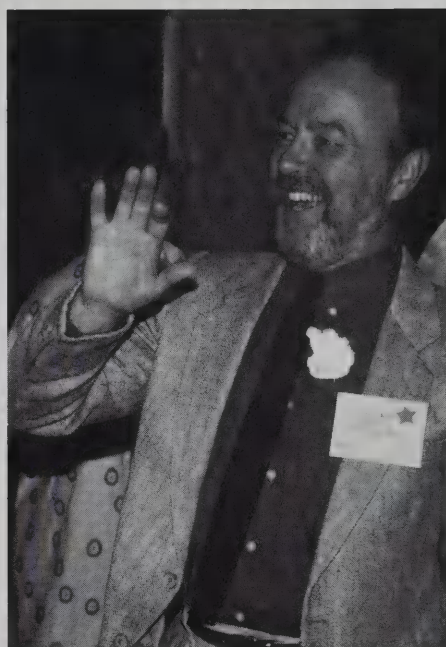
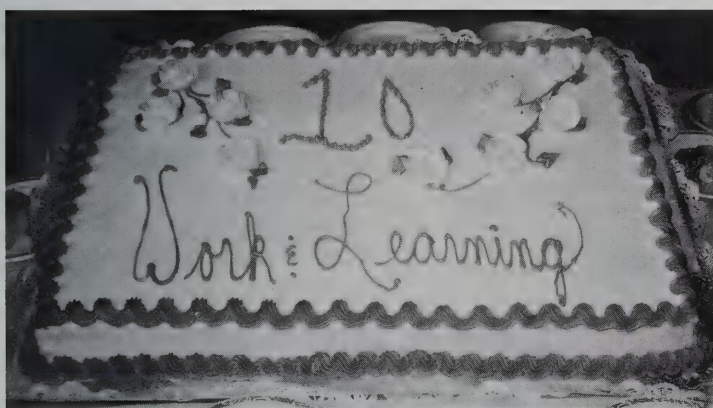
Despite the rain,
Dog's Eye View
kicked off a great
start to the year.



Activities Fair



Autumn Fest

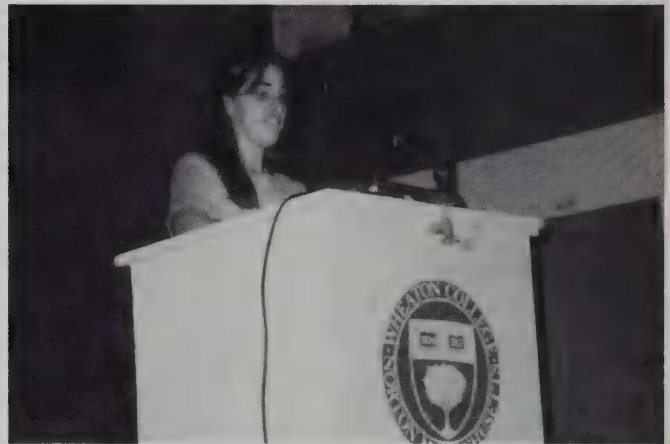
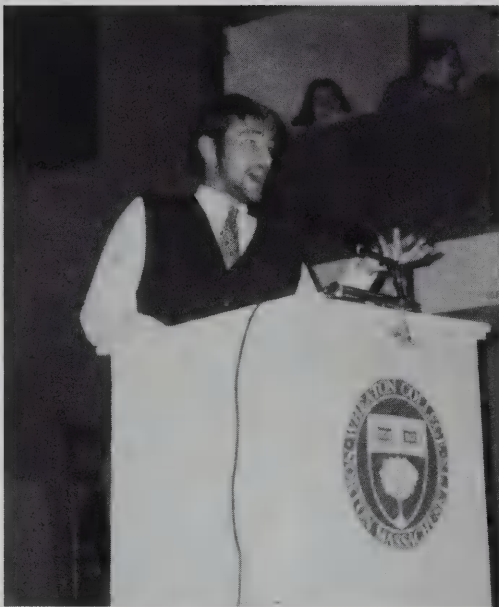


Autumn Fest celebrates the gathering of alumnae/i, parents, and students. Whether you heard Sweet Honey and the Rock perform Friday evening, listened to various panels lead by students and professors, or attended the lunch celebrating the Filene Center's 10th Birthday, it was a weekend of fun for all.

1996- The Year to Vote

Registering TO VOTE

Thanks to a very successful voter registration drive, made up of the College Democrats and Republicans and led by Prof. Baron, The 1996 Presidential elections created a lot of excitement at Wheaton. Closer to home, there were fall elections for the class of 2000, followed by elections this spring, bringing a lot of new faces and energy in to SGA for the upcoming year.

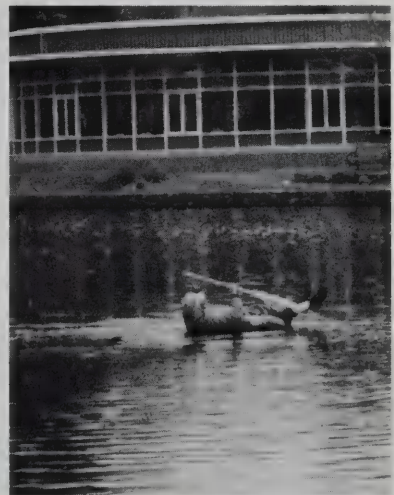


ON
April
9th

VOTE

- ☒ Becca Chamberlain
Pres.
 - ☒ Virginia Markstein
V.P.
 - ☒ Erin McGlone
Tres.
 - ☒ Dawn-Marie McBrady
Sec.
 - ☒ Nadia Cremer
senator
- Class of '99

S.S.S. Week



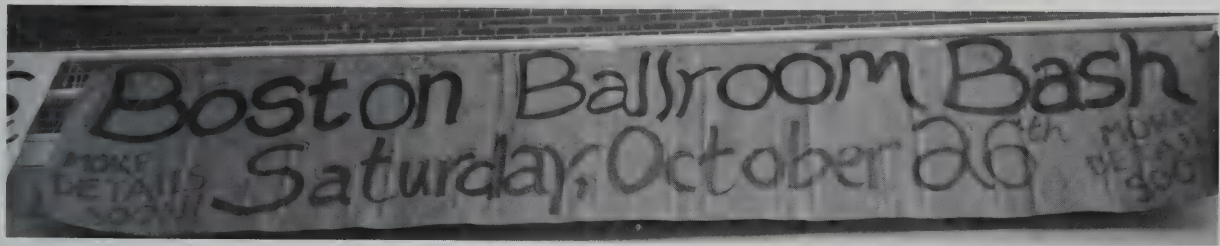
Adventure Bound



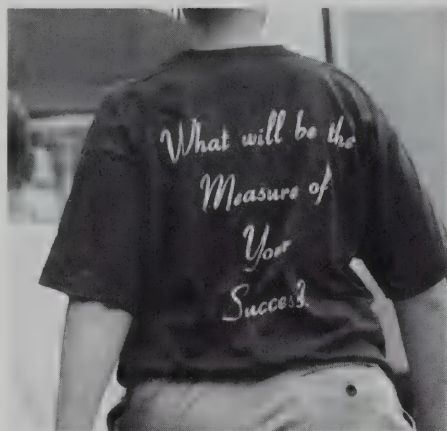
So we climb. And in the climbing there is more than a metaphor; there is a means of discovery. And what about exploring caves, descending into great holes in the Earth? It is another means to the same end, as well as another metaphor- for going inside to explore the mysteries that reside within the self.



Boston Ballroom Bash



Preceptors



Preceptors play an important role to first year students as they enter Wheaton in the fall. Although each student is encouraged to individually measure their own success, preceptors played a vital role this year in helping Wheaton's largest class ever succeed.



Student Mentors

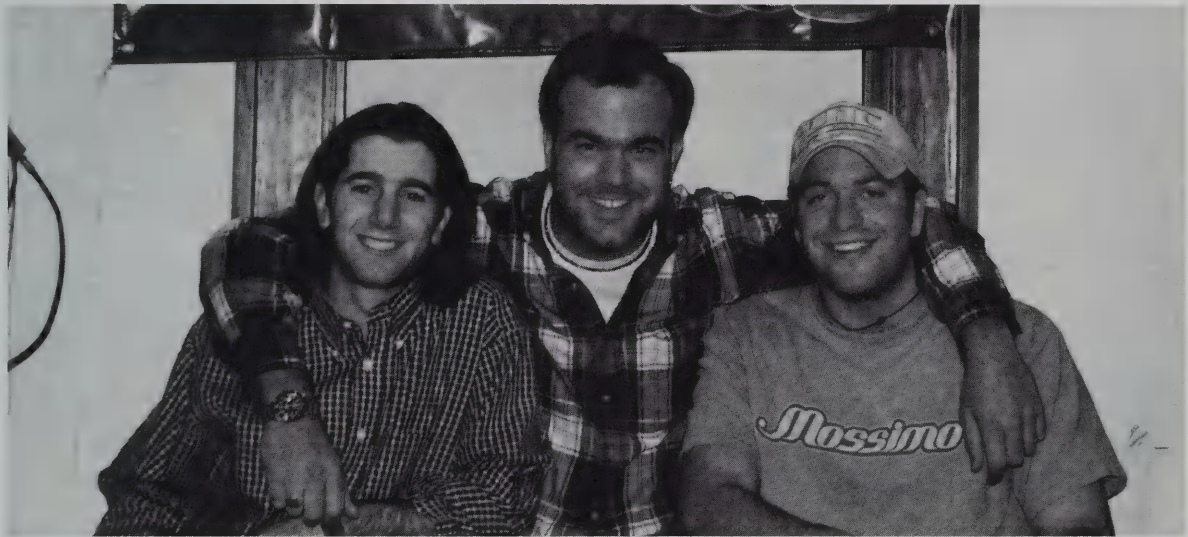


From door tags and bulletin boards in September, to room checkout in May, for many, the year has flown by! From ice breakers, floor programs, forced tripples, luminarias, Blue Jeans and Jazz, B-BQ's, and carnivals, this year has been a challenge but also a great experience for hall staff.

Below: The RLAB team. Special thanks to Jen Ramos and Kathy Jonas for all of their help.



Lyon's Den



L-R: Mike Bettencourt, Nick Langman, and Josh Huggard.



April Fool's- it's Snow!



Just when we thought winter was over, we found classes to be cancelled and people everywhere playing in more snow than we had seen all winter!



Dean Sue declared KLMC the winner in the first annual April 1st snow sculpture contest.
Congratulations!

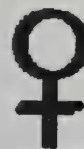


International Women's Day/Month



MARCH

WOMEN'S HISTORY MONTH



MONDAY

3rd--Keynote Speaker
bell hooks
7:30pm, Science Center
Auditorium

TUESDAY

4th--Photo Exhibit
"CENTURY" by Frank Cordelle
9am-6pm, Balfour-Hood Center
4th--Movie

WEDNESDAY

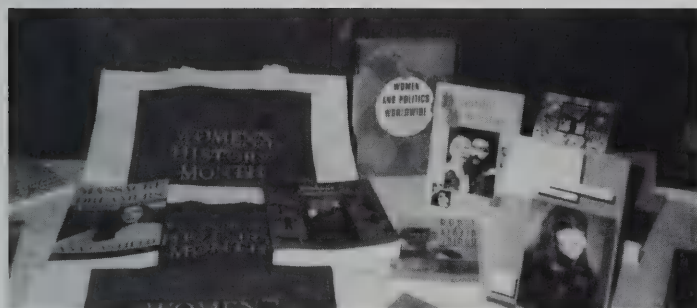
5th--Professor Kersti Vili
"The US Marine Corps, Intervention in
Spouse Abuse."
12:30pm, President's Dining Room

THURSDAY

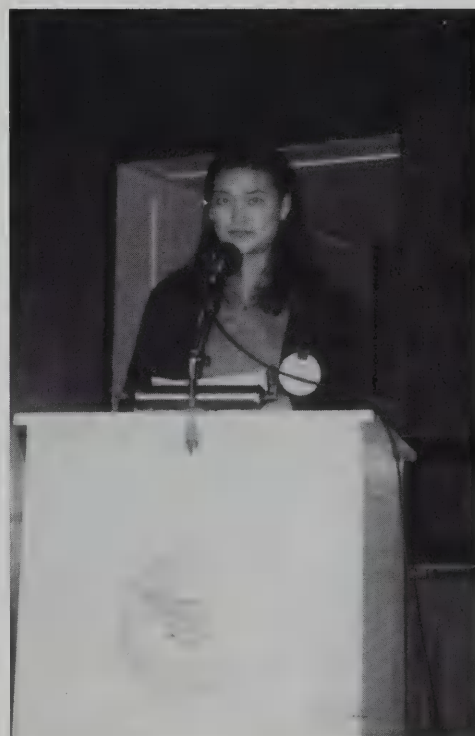
27th--Janice Willis, Professor,
Wesleyan University
"On American Soil." Buddhism in
the 21st Century

FRIDAY

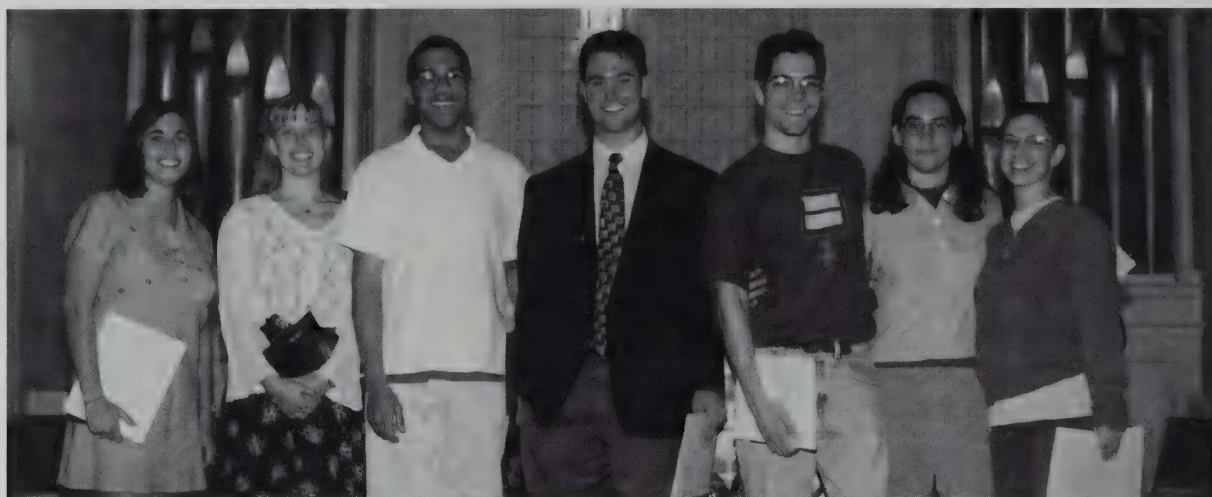
7th--International
Woman's Day Luncheon
12:30-1:30, Emerson



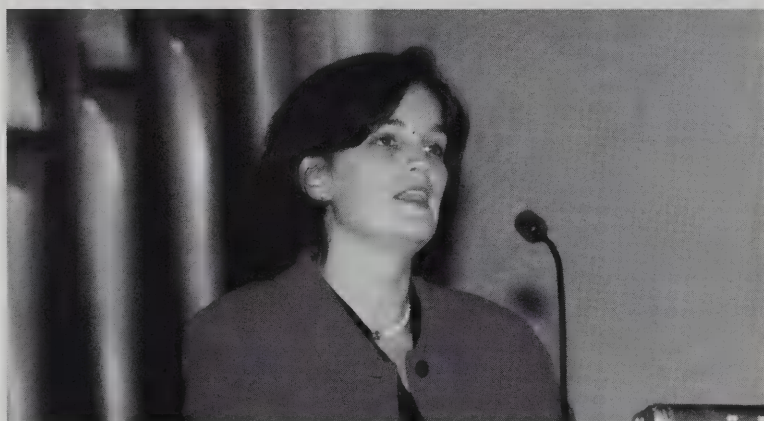
In past years Women's History Month has brought exciting lectures, discussions, and debates to Wheaton in an effort to recognize and celebrate Wheaton women and women around the world. Although they should be noted for their vast talents and perserverance throughout the year, the month of March has been designated as an official forum for women; this allotted time period is used in order to honestly express the current issues for and about them that are not always included in mainstream media or popular culture.



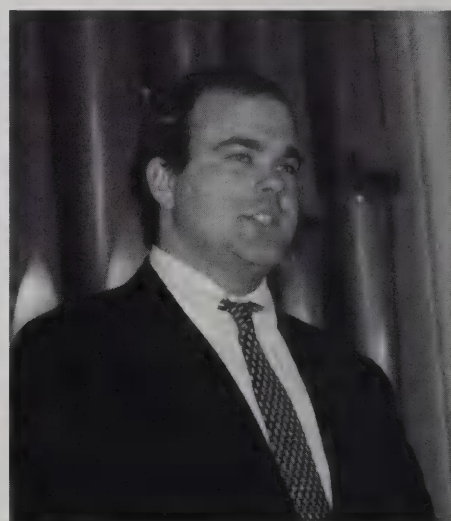
Leadership Recognition Ceremony



Congratulations to all of this years nominees. Pictured above, from L-R are some of the winners: Jen Ramos, Brandi Pfleiderer, Ramon Tejada, Jason Beckerman, Raul Lorenzo, Jill Hauben, and Devora Marbin.

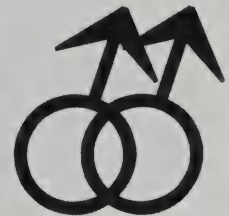
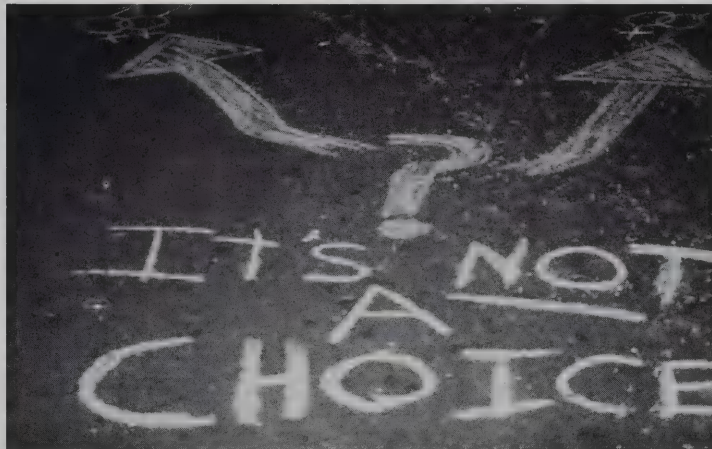


Above: The Kenote Address was given by Roxanna E. Booth '90.



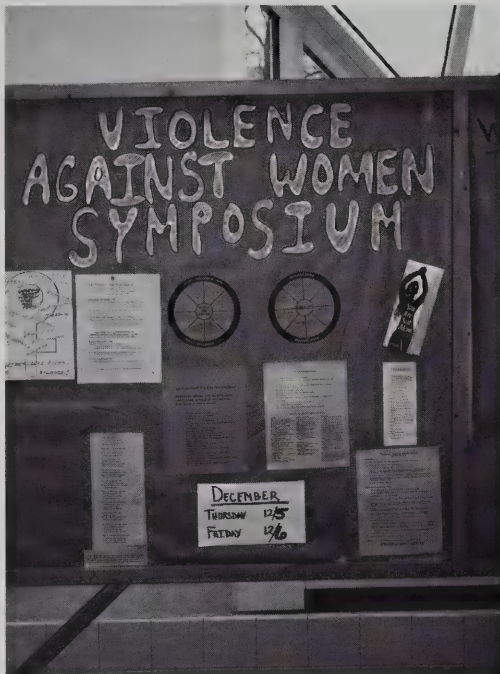
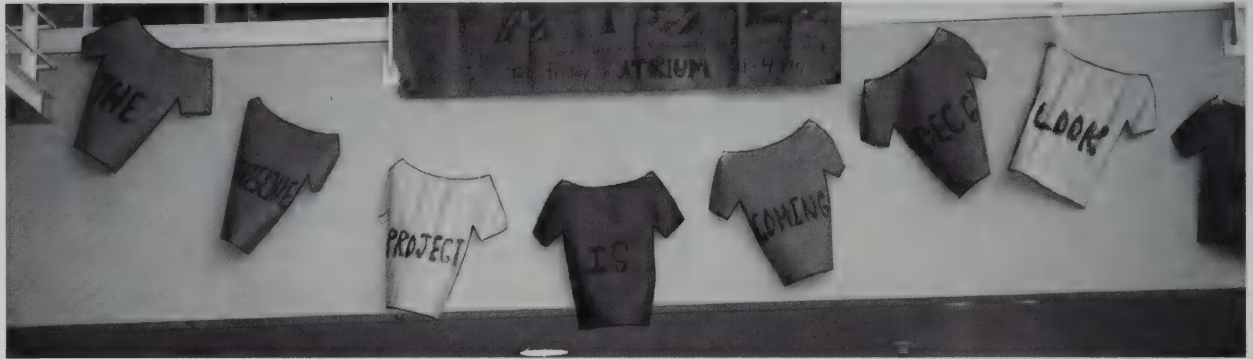
National Coming Out Day/ Pride and Diversity Day

October 11, 1996 and April 15, 1997

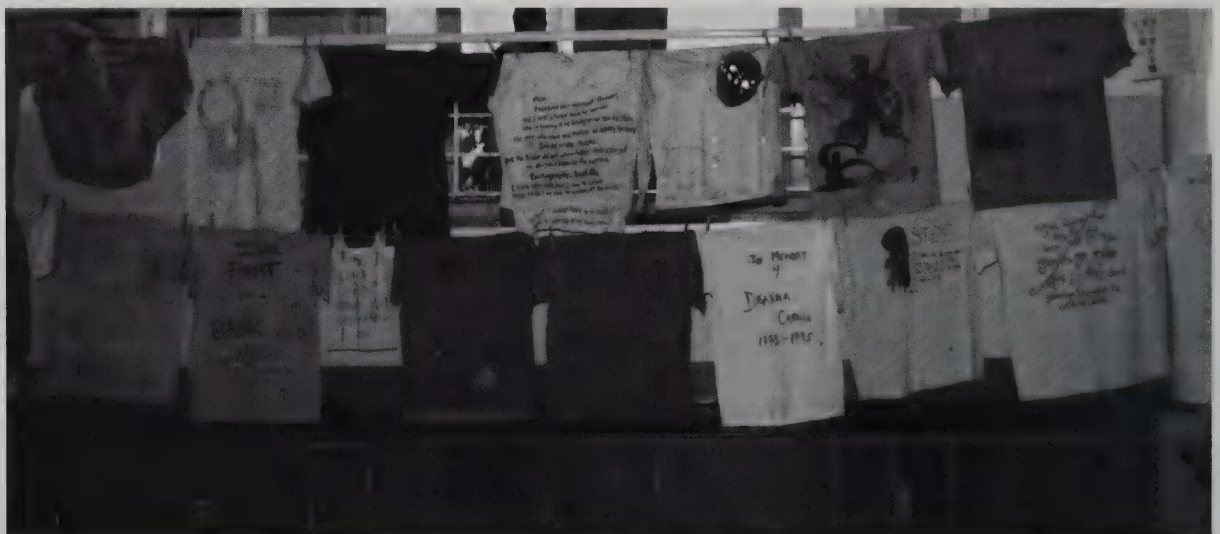


Pride and Diversity Day, sponsored by the G.S.A., enabled the Wheaton community to show their support for gay rights and their willingness to practice respect and acceptance of all people. The G.S.A. educated students about the prevalence and significance of current gay issues through a variety of programs.

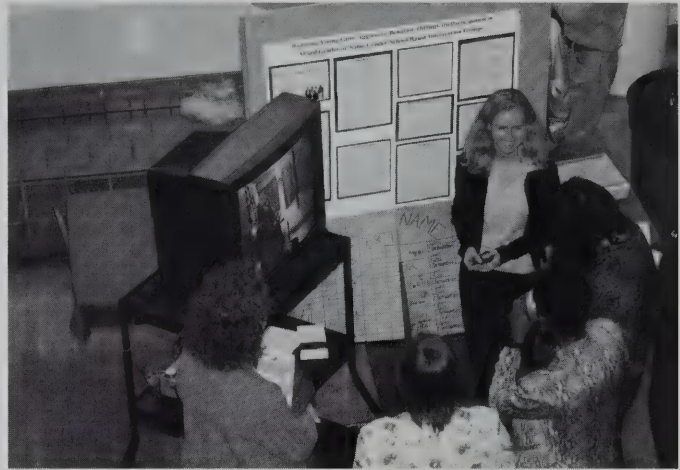
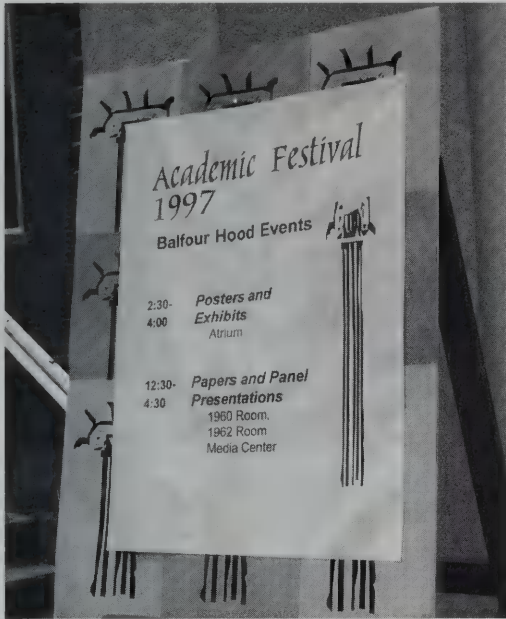
Violence Against Women Symposium



On December 5th and 6th, the Violence Against Women Seminar planned a two day event to raise awareness at Wheaton. Students from the class designed a program to bring attention to issues of violence against women to the general campus based on what they had learned throughout the semester. The Violence Against Women Symposium opened with a campus safety discussion, followed by keynote speaker and activist, Mary E. Gilfus. The next day, an ongoing presentation in the atrium included the Clothesline Project and a continuous showing of *Dream Worlds II* illustrating violence against women in popular television, such as MTV. The symposium concluded with a candlelight vigil to remember those women who have been victims of violence and who have died as a result.



Academic Festival VI



WHEATON SCHOLAR COLLOQUIUM

April 17: Devora Marbin

April 24: Erin Kleindorfer

ART EXHIBITIONS

Senior Art Show - Watson Gallery

Art/Poetry Exhibit - Wallace Library

POSTERS AND EXHIBITS

Balfour-Hood Center, Atrium,
12:30-4:00

PANELS AND PAPERS

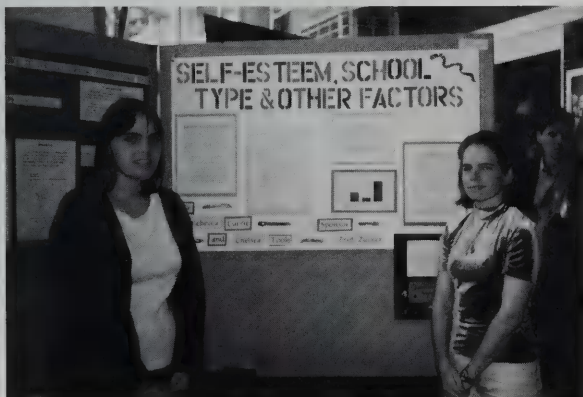
Balfour-Hood Center, 1960 Room,
1962 Room, Media Center

DRAMATIC READINGS

Creative Writing: Wooley Room,
Mary Lyon Hall 1:30-2:30

Russian Poetry: Wooley Room, Mary
Lyon Hall 3:30-4:30

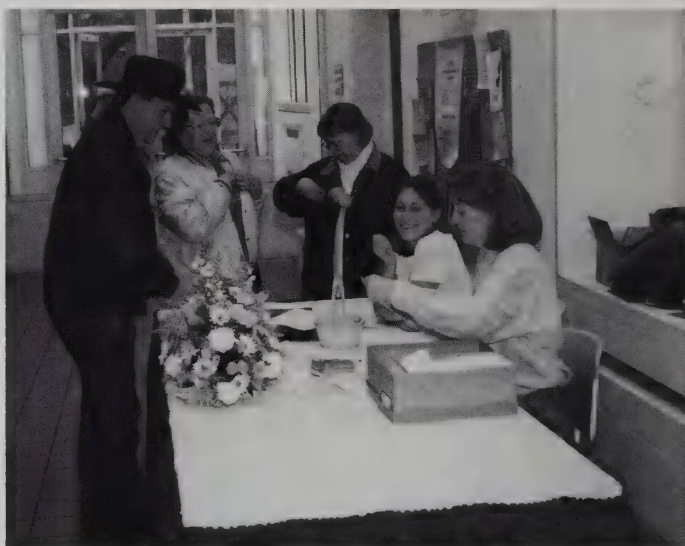
French Poetry, 1962 Room, 3:30-4:00



Family Weekend

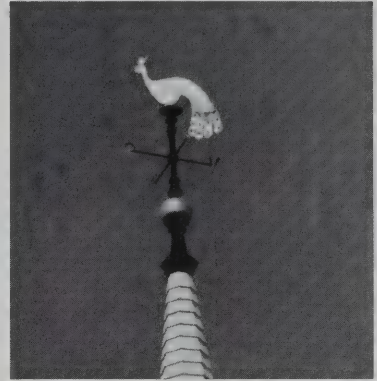


Above: Co-chairs Jennifer Johnson '98 and Amy Gravell '97.

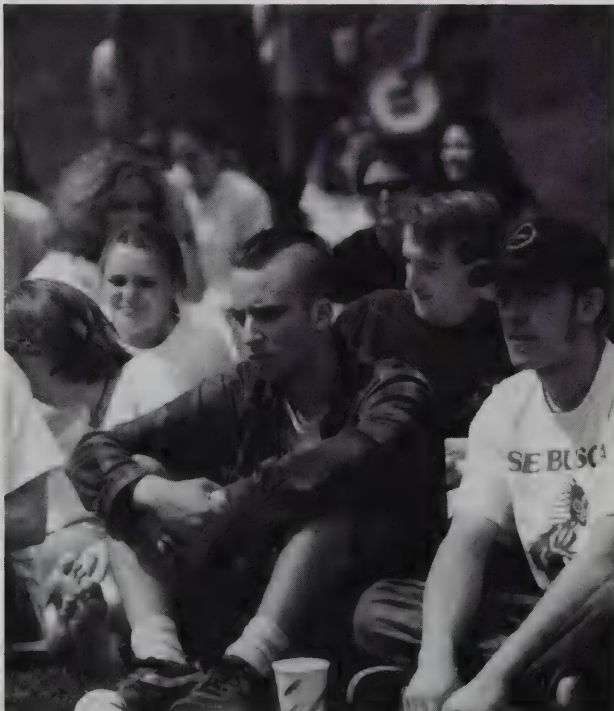


Our theme, "Wheaton: A Place that Gives Us Roots to Grow and Wings to Fly", has been chosen so that we may recognize Wheaton's rich history, strong present, and exciting future. As members of the Wheaton community, we are part of a history that echoes a firm commitment to educational values. Today, we take part in a campus that is continually growing and improving. And through our involvement and contribution, we can look forward to bettering the education of future Wheaton students.

Head of the Peacock



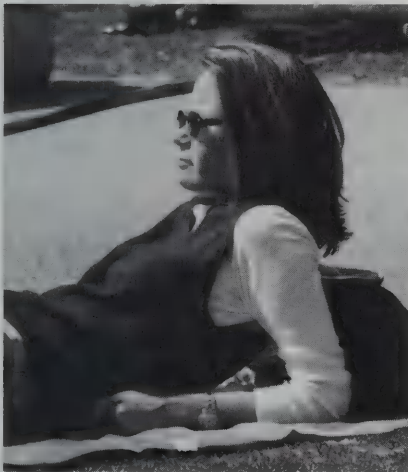
Spring Weekend



Groove Collection, From Good Homes, and Acoustic Juntion topped off a week of events celebrating Spring.



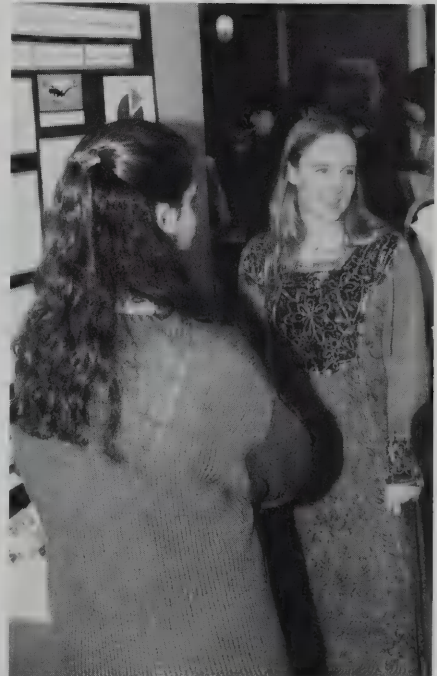
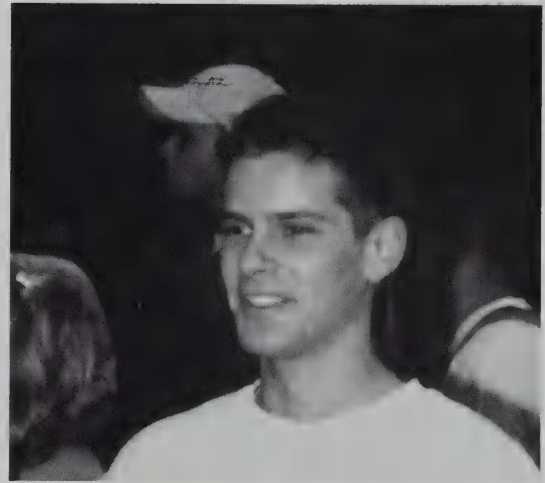
Concert Candids...



Smiling through all



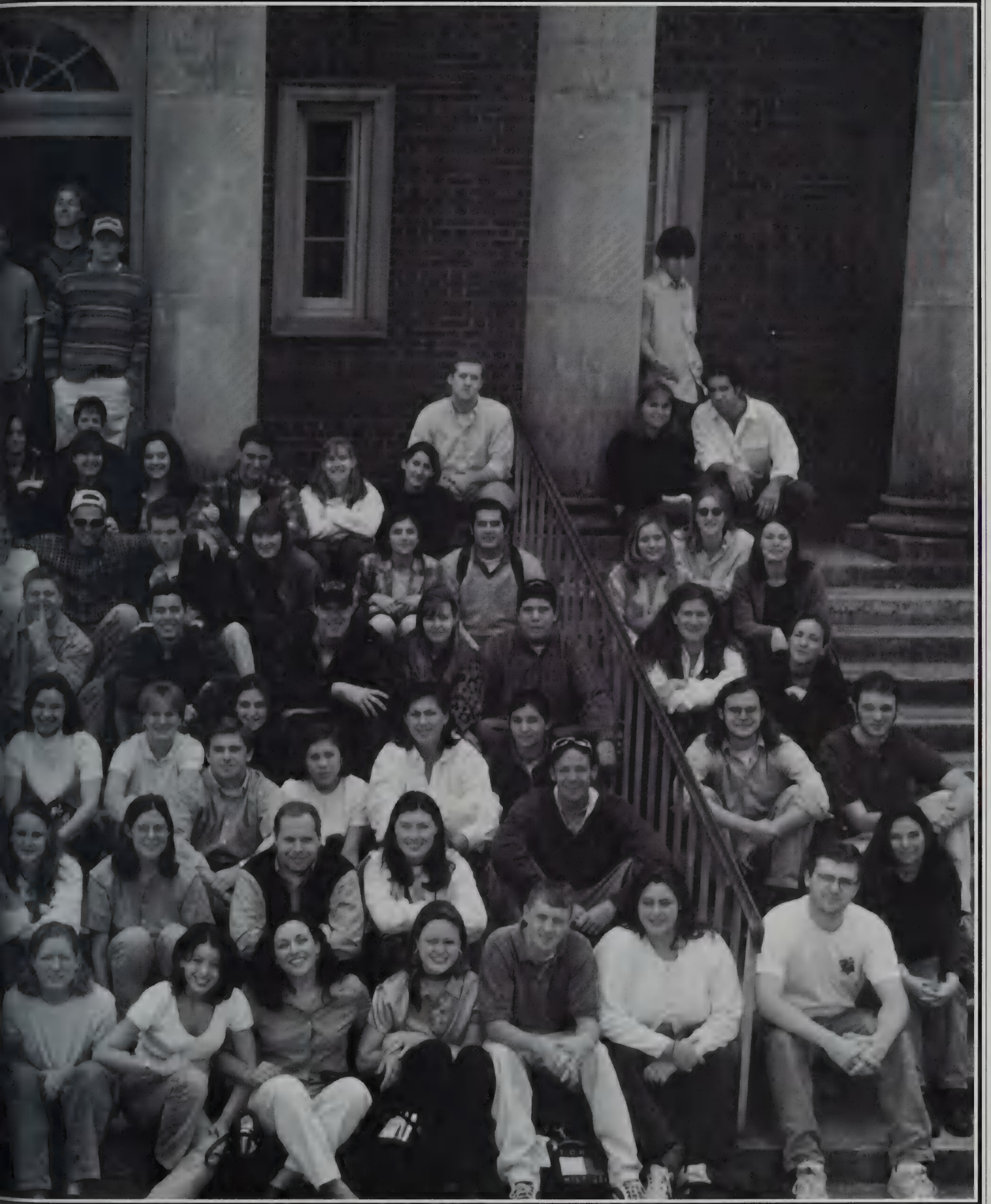
of our activities!



Cheers to Four Years



The Senior Class in the Spring





Seniors



THE CLASS OF 1997







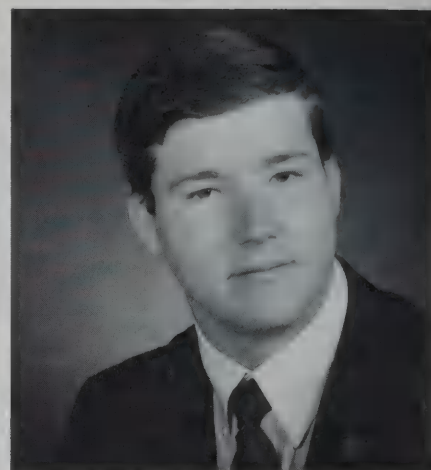
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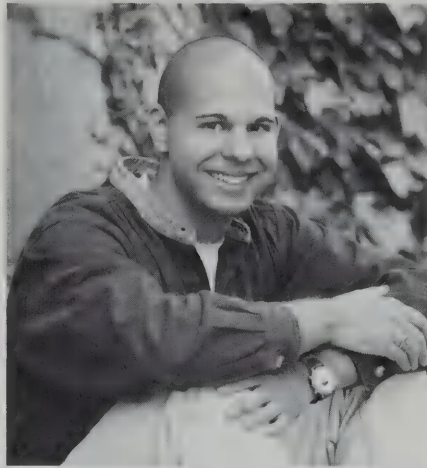


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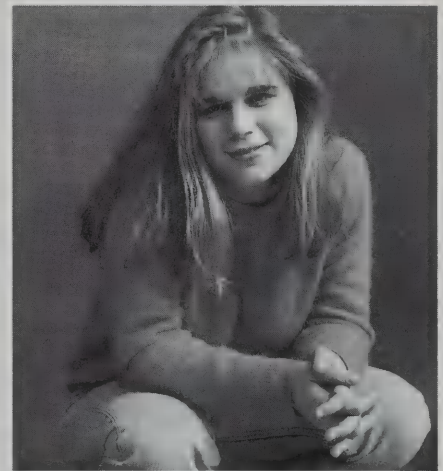
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Walter Astin
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International Relations



Sarah Barnes
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Wendy Baum
Psychology



Kaitlyn Beasley
Economics



Jason Beckerman
Philosophy



Kristin Bell
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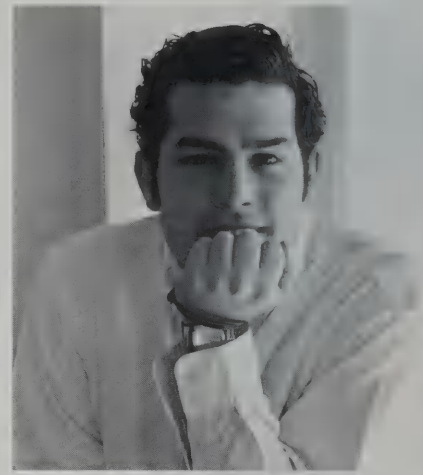
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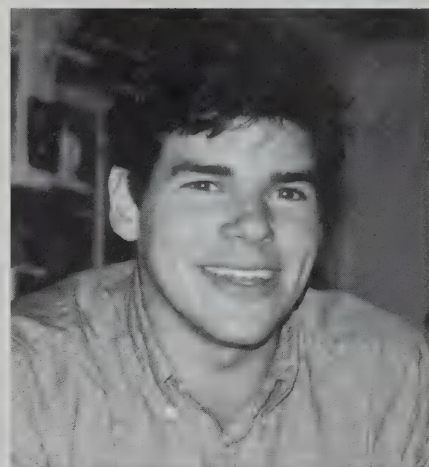
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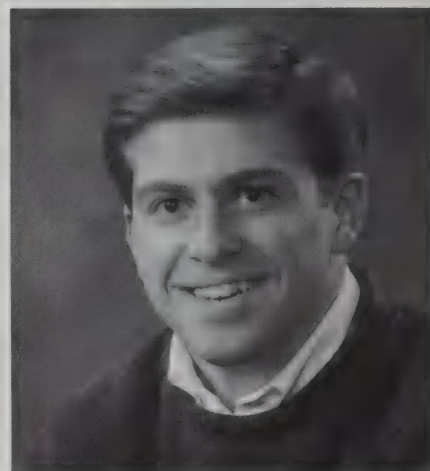
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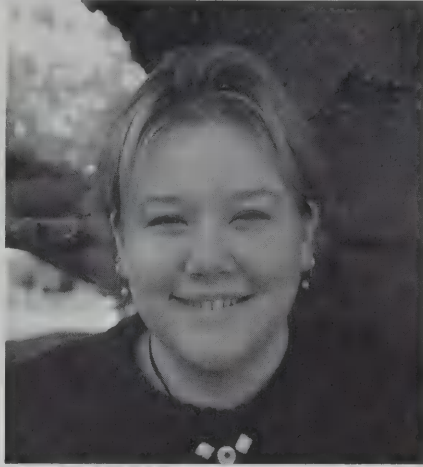
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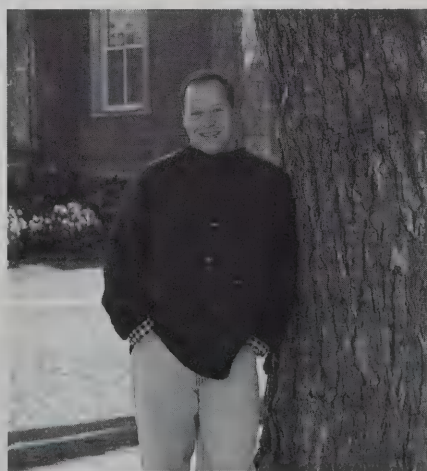
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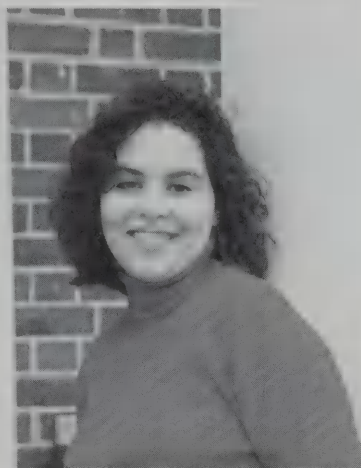
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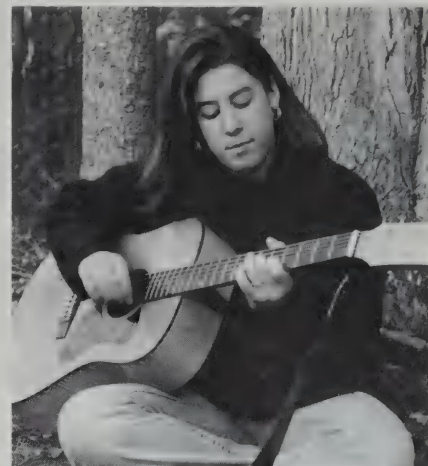
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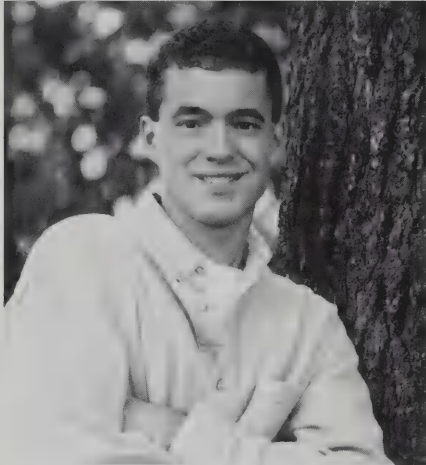
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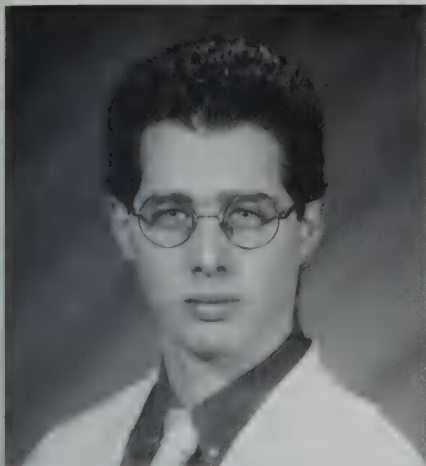
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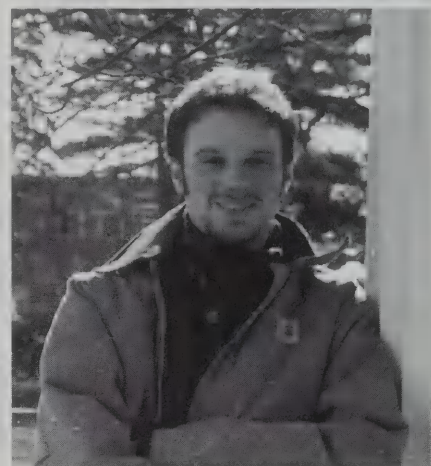
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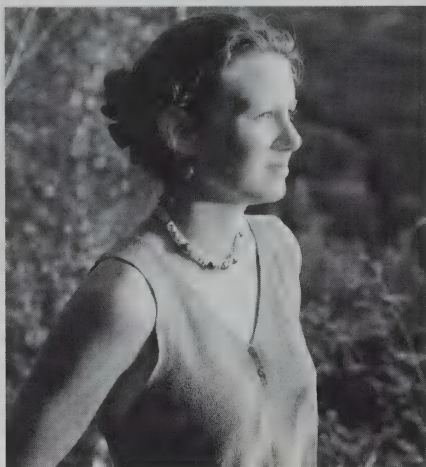
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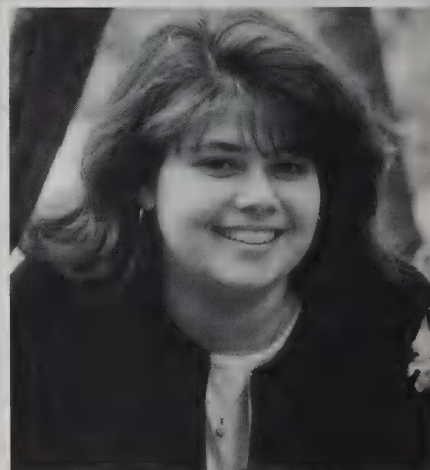
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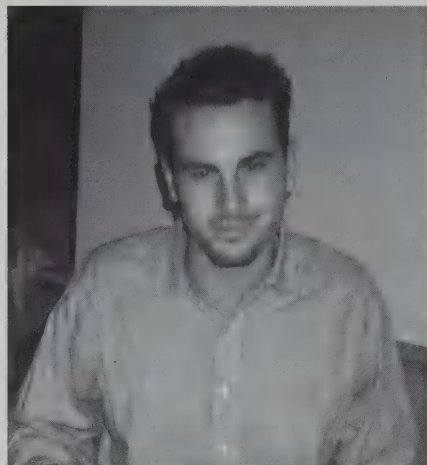
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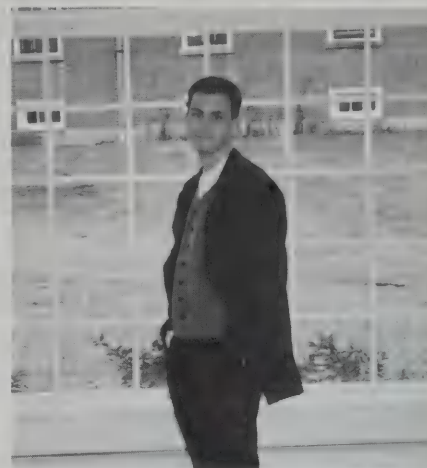
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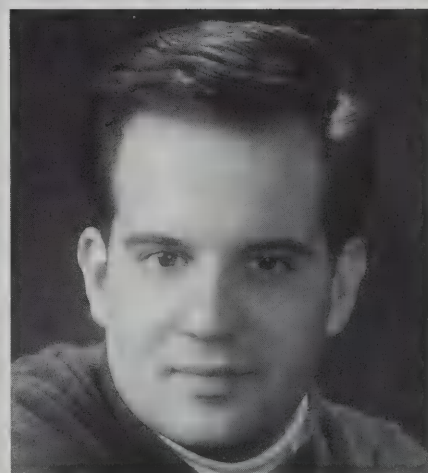
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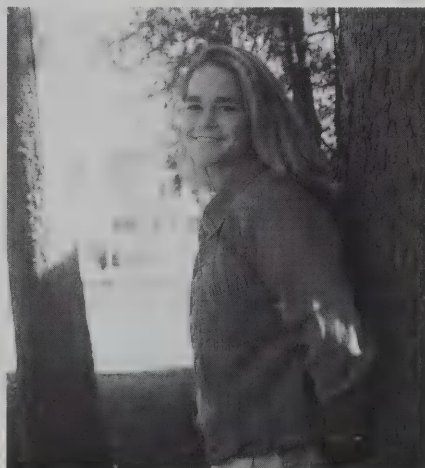
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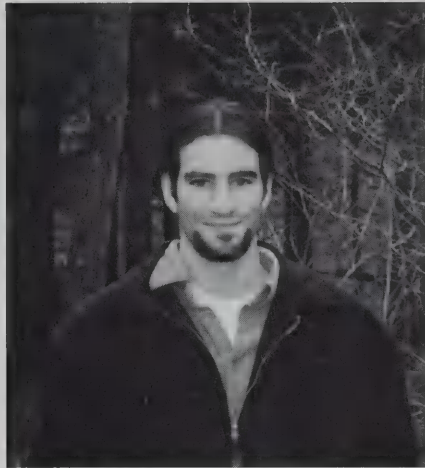
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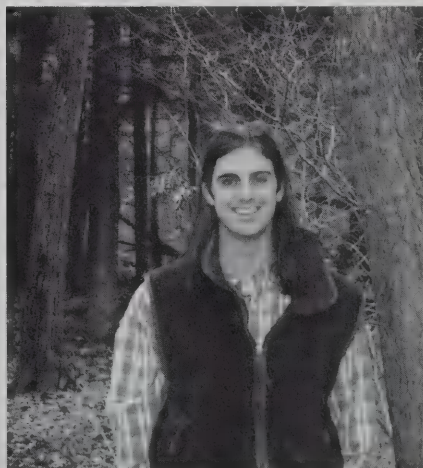
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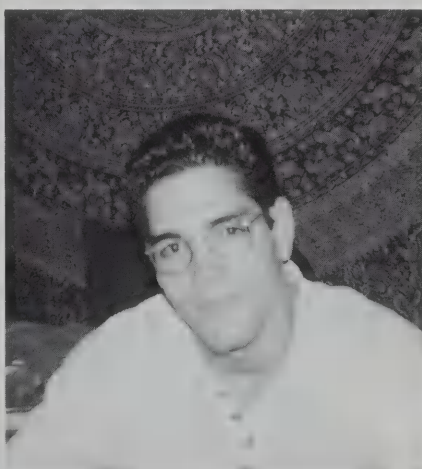
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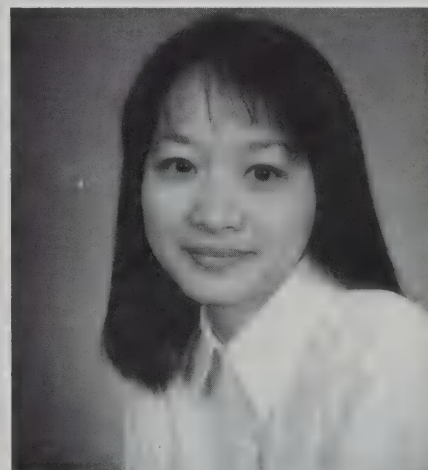
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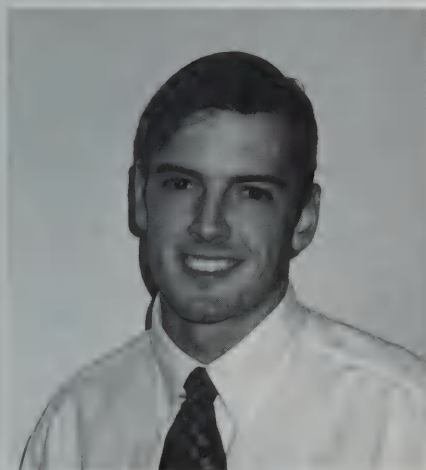
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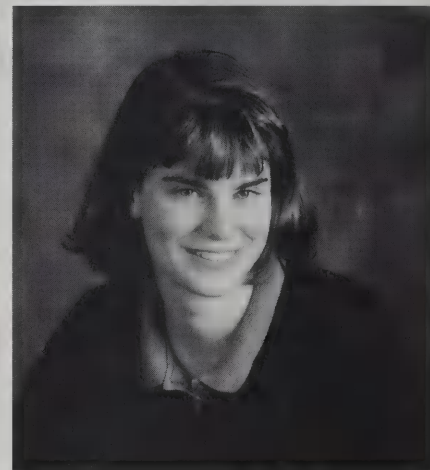
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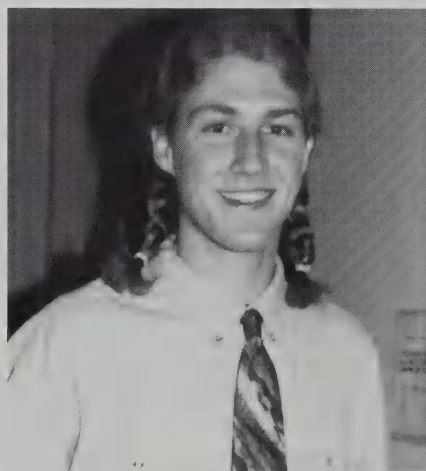
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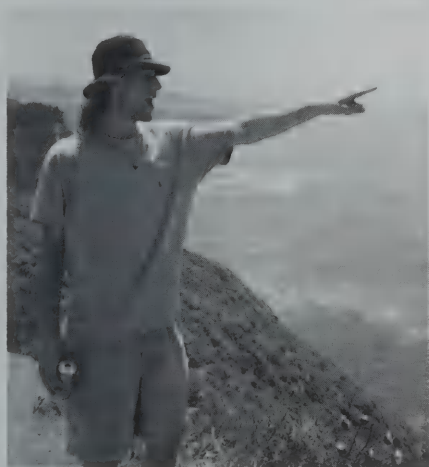
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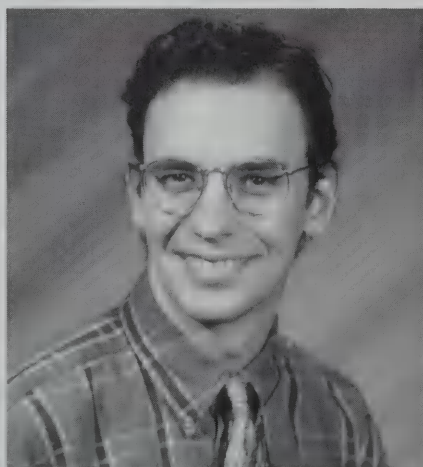
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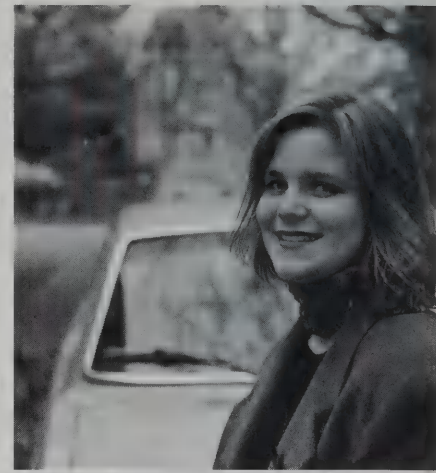
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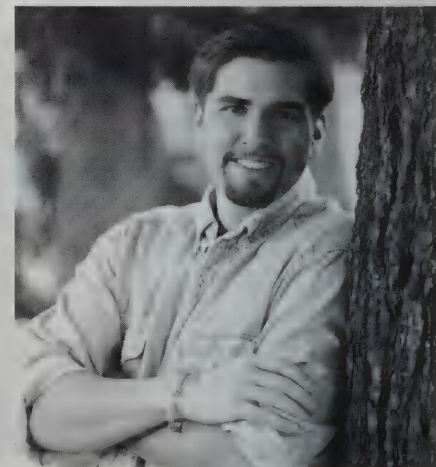
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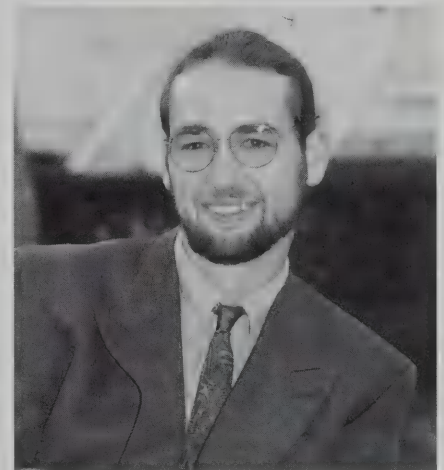
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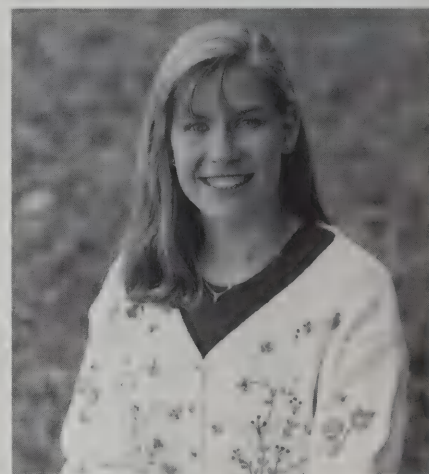
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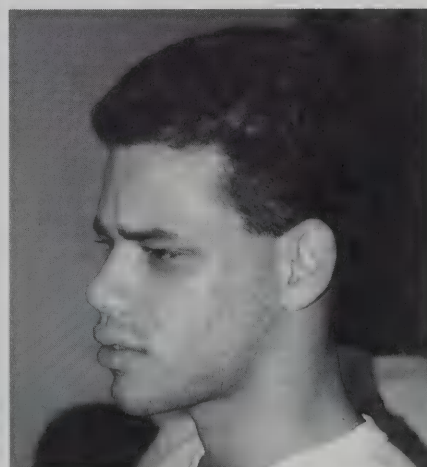
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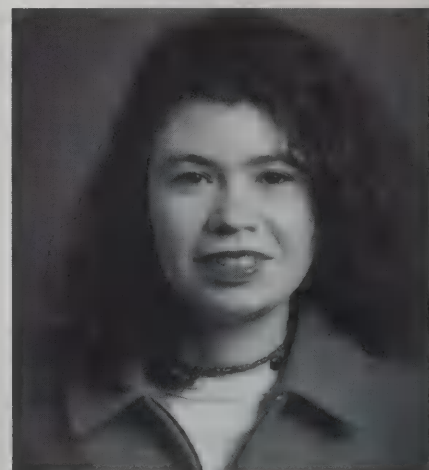
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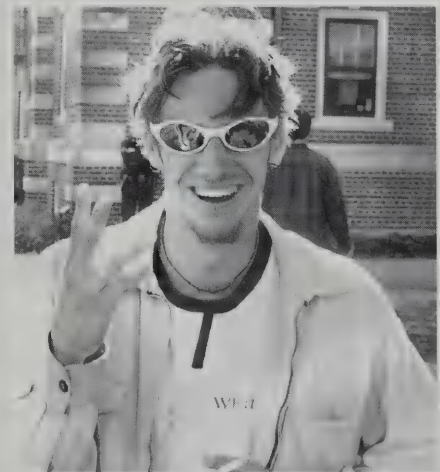
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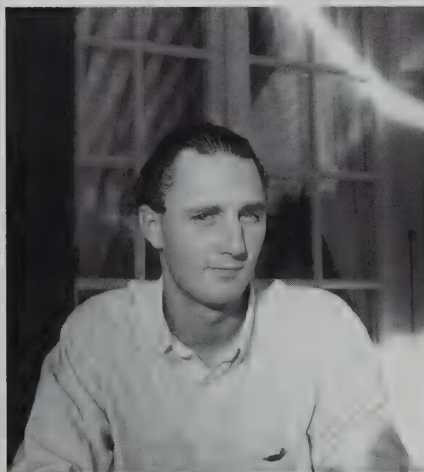
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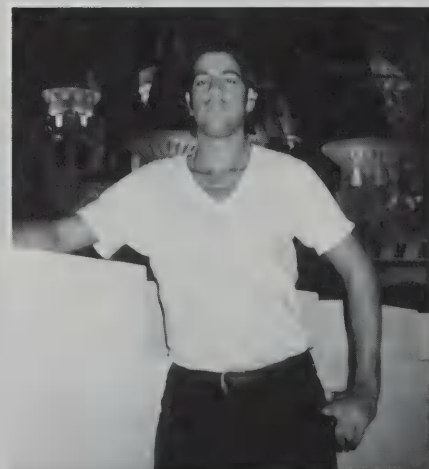
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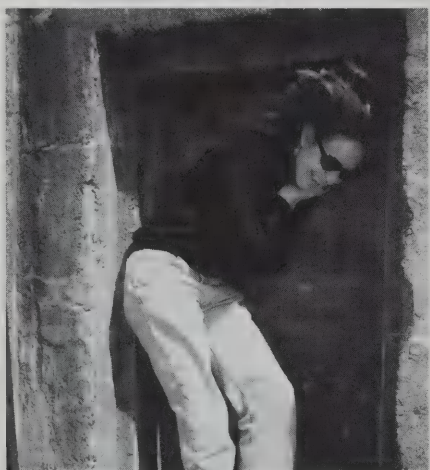
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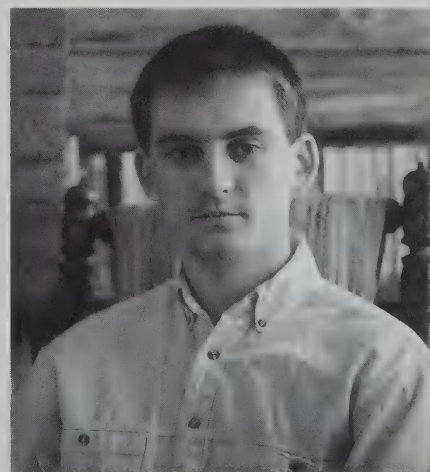
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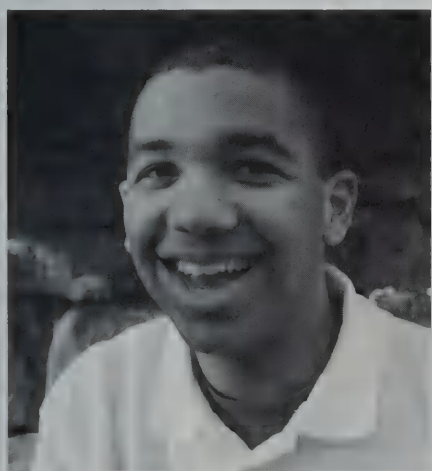
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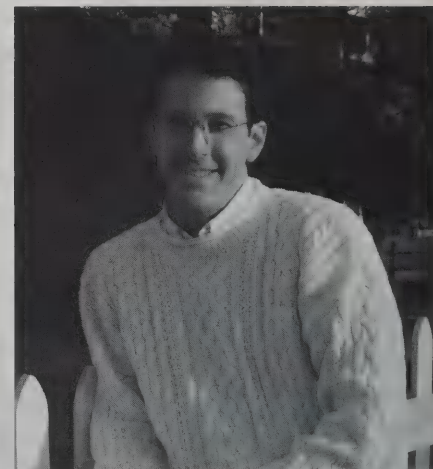
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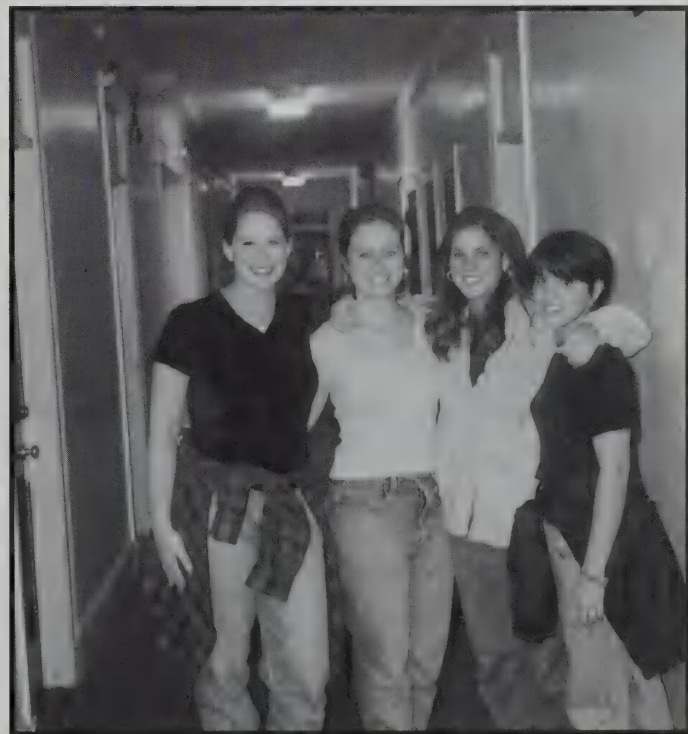
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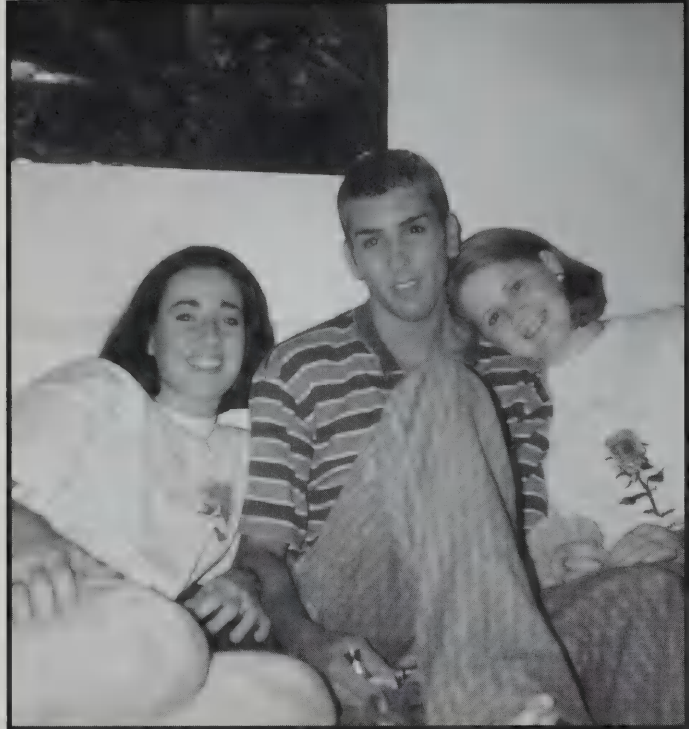


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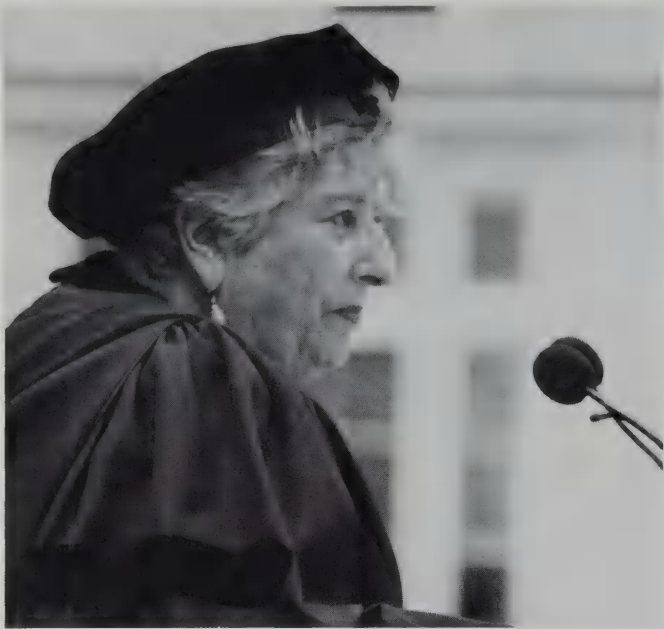


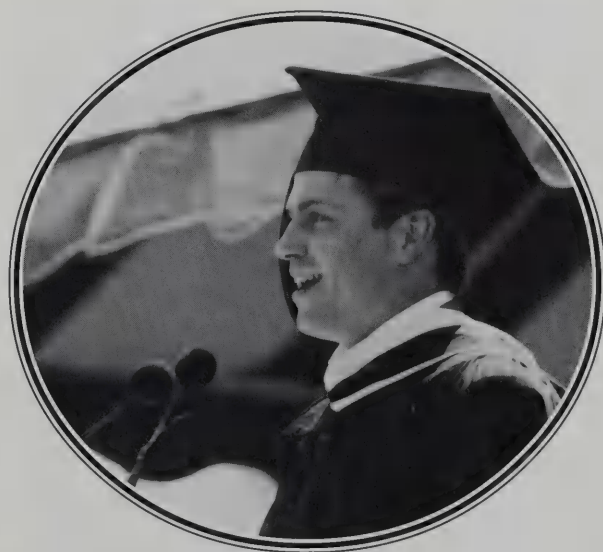
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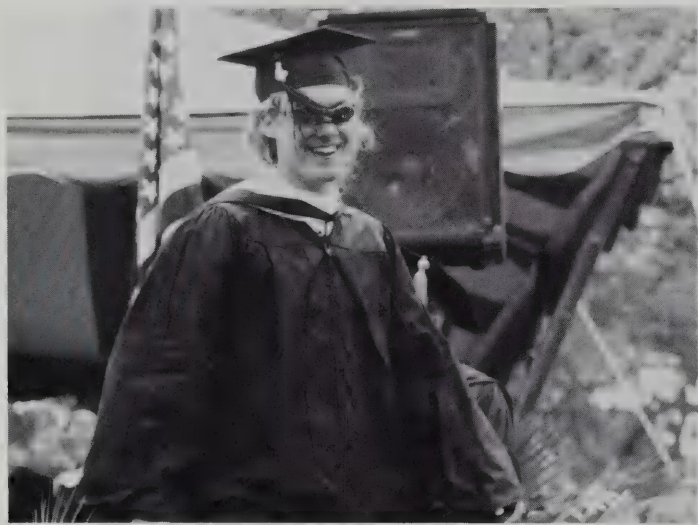












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Good Luck and
Best Wishes in the Future!!!

May all your dreams come true.
All our love and best wishes for
happiness and success in your future.
You've come a long way, always a
winner in our hearts.

Love, always,
Mom + Dad



CONGRATULATIONS

JONATHAN DAVID ROBERTS



"Train up a child in the way he should go: and when he is old,
he will not depart from it." Proverbs 22: 6

I can do all things through Christ who strengthens me." Philippians 4: 13

We are extremely proud of you -
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With love from Mom, Dad, Bradley, and Victor

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Love,
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Best Wishes for a lifetime of
happiness and success.
Congratulations!
Love, Mom and Dad

Sam,

If success is measured by the happiness you bring to others, you have succeeded.

Congratulations!!!

Love,
Mom and Dad



Kim,

Every so often let your spirit of adventure triumph over your good sense.

Congratulations!!!

You are the best!!!

Love,
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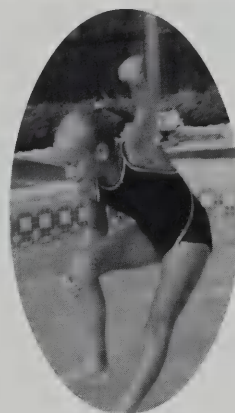
"Within You is the strength to make your dreams come true."

- Lisa Worble

Kristen-

We're so proud of all that you have accomplished and wish you a future filled with happiness and success.

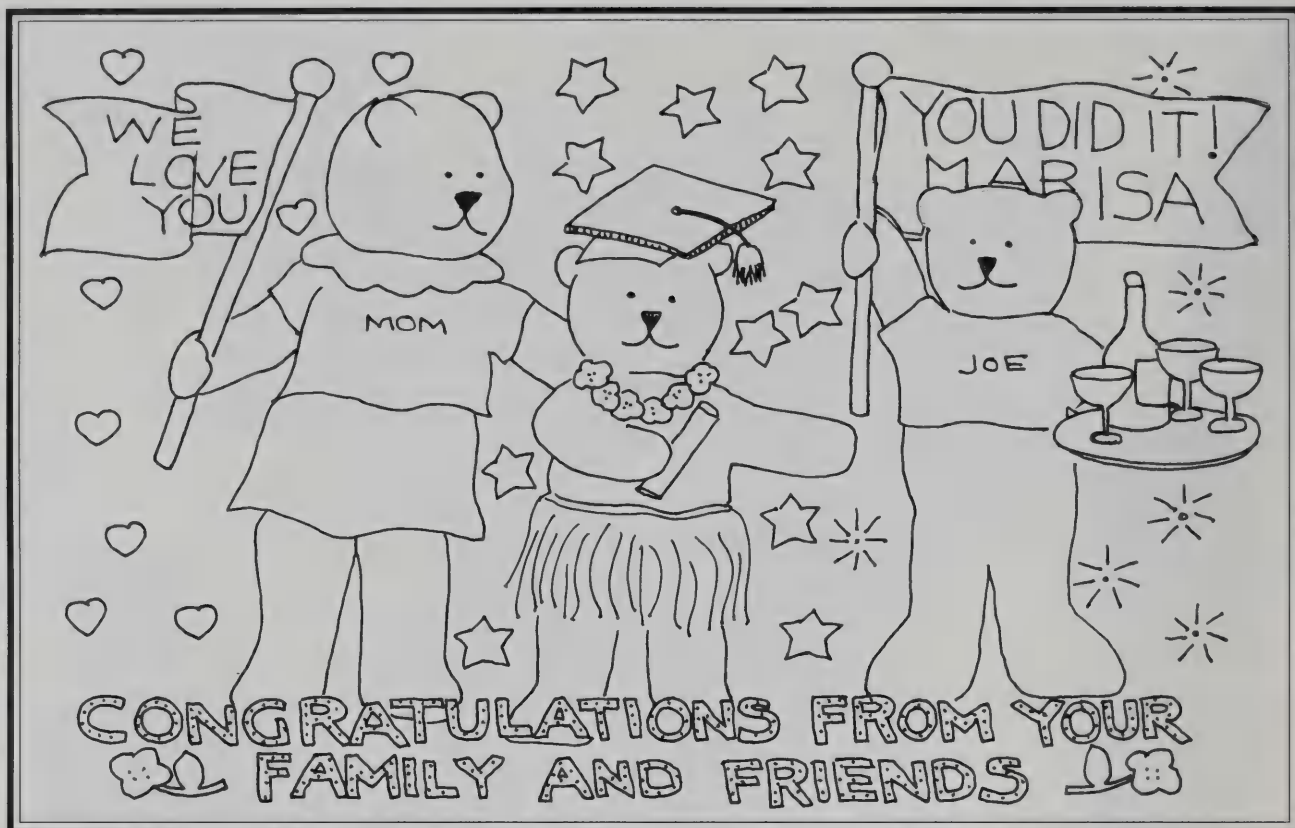
Lots of Love,
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Elvis Has Left
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More Proud!!!

Love, Mom, Dad, and Carrie



CONGRATULATIONS MAYA!



With grace and confidence,
you've given it your all - now you
reap the rewards - You make our
lives wonderful.

Love,
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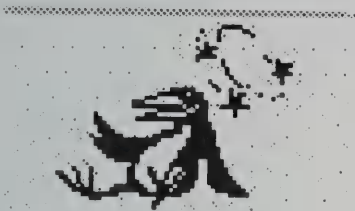
**TO STEPHANIE-
CONGRATULATIONS
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FROM MOM, DAD,
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TOPAZ. DCHFILY**



Credit and Crows...

CROW IN TREE

Crow in tree
Black on green
Prettiest thing
I ever seen.
The pesky black birds
Seem God's toys
Calling down with
Such sweet noise.
Surely no doubt
You've heard it said
That crows prefer
Their people dead.
All things considered
That's me 'n you
But if a crow I ask
"Well wouldn't you?"



A special thank you to the 1996-1997 Niké staff, all crows included: Amy Lowe, Leigh Heideman, Michael Manzi, Corlyn Secchiaroli, Katie Coughlin, Lori Rabidue, Jackie Tilden, Kellie Laurendeau, Micaela Zehring, Jeniffer Hargroves, Noelle Humphries, Lynn Cella, Lea Di Mascio, Holly Peckham, and Christy Dubay.

Mere- Congratulations! Thank you for two great years. I'm going to miss working with you senior year. Your crow spirit will be with us though.

Abby - have fun next year... learn and grow - i am excited for you... good luck your senior year, i am confident that your yearbook will be amazing.

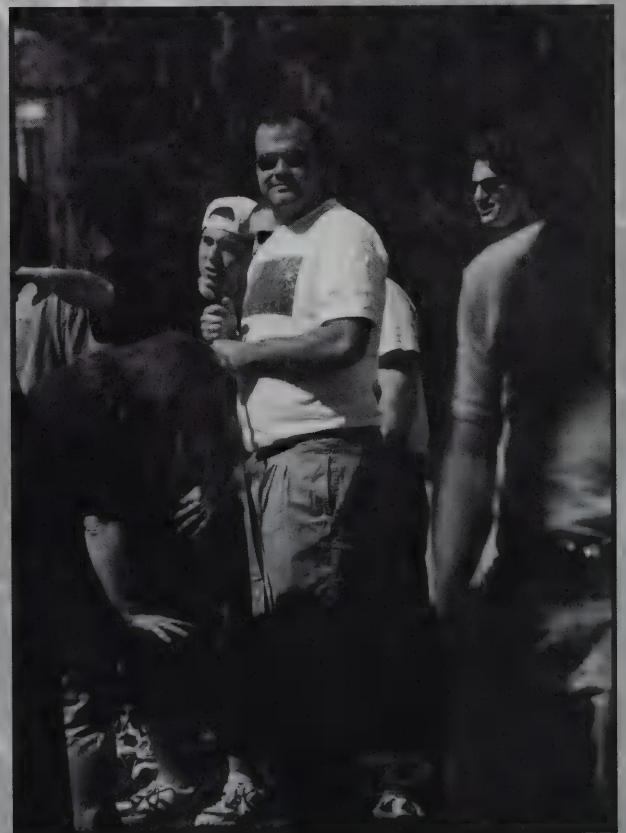
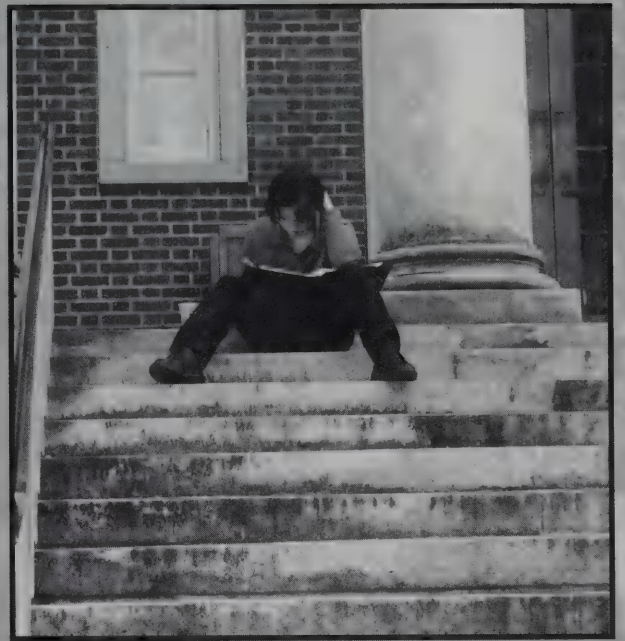
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We'll miss you.















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